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At 11:30 AM 9/17/97 -0700, you wrote:

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>the poultry show material that was shot at the Central Pennsylvania  
Avian  
>Club's show in Bloomsburg on May 3-4th. It will be aired tomorrow  
>morning.

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>It is wonderful! I am very pleased.

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I will have to tape it. We are getting ready for our show tomorrow. We  
have  
around 800 birds being shown. That number breaks us even and makes for  
less  
work. We normally like to see around 1200.

Thanks,

bart>



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From: Kelly Falcheck <falcheck@students.uiuc.edu>  
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Hi, Robert!

Wonderful news about the Martha Stewart footage. You'll be on national TV!

I was hoping to catch the show tomorrow, but it's on at 9:00 A.M. Unfortunately, I have a lab from 9-12 on Thursdays. Maybe I can borrow your copy sometime.

Hope everything else is going well. I heard about the recent firings.  
Poor  
Jan! (Kidding.)

Kelly

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## television

### PROGRAM GUIDE

See what's been on in the past week, and what's coming in the next two. Plus, all the necessary recipes and instructions for projects.

### VIDEO PREVIEW


Take a look at what Martha will be doing tomorrow on television.

### STATION GUIDE

How do you know what station Martha is on? This will tell you what channel in your area carries the show

### ABOUT TELEVISION

All the information you need to contact us or place a commercial on the show.



**TODAY**

FIELD TRIP: CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB

GOOD THING: FOLDING SHELF

**TOMORROW**

COOKING: CANNING TOMATOES

GARDENING: CUTTING GARDEN

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SEPTEMBER THURSDAY

**18 FIELD TRIP:  
CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA  
AVIAN CLUB**

Twice a year, the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club sponsors a two-day exhibition of poultry, pigeons, and game birds. The event, which includes a lively auction, is designed to promote both ornamental fowl and utility birds (which are bred for meat and eggs).

Martha Stewart, an avid collector of rare poultry breeds, visits the event to pick the "Most Beautiful Bird" of the show (link to photo of White-Crested Blue Polish? - chosen in honour of her Polish heritage) from more than 2000 entries. John Batson, one of the event's lead judges, shows Martha how to evaluate competition fowl.

Keeping chickens can be a educational and productive project for the whole family. Tending a coop teaches children the basics of animal husbandry while it lets them enjoy the sometimes silly behavior of a brood of hens. Martha Stewart and poultry expert Quel Agland discuss the delights of raising beautiful ornamental chickens like the Silky, and champion egg-layers like New Hampshire Bantams and Orpingtons. She is

*Special thanks to , Robert Powell, Secretary; John Batson, APA/ABA licensed poultry judge; and Clell Agler, exhibitor, Central Pennsylvania Avian Club., Secretary. , , Martha By Mail, \$18. (24"x36") (#DCP001) For a list of upcoming avian events around the United States, contact American Poultry Association (www.radiopark.com/apa.html), 133 Millville Street, Mendon, MA 01756.*

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especially fond of Araucanas and Americaunas for their marvelous blue- and green-shaded eggs. Chickens provide ample help to the home gardener by eating unwanted insects and weeds while fertilizing the soil.

Established in 1974, the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club (link to source) promotes all species of exhibition poultry, pigeons, game and cage birds. The next show takes place October 18-19, 1997 in Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania.

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Mike Pavese  
**Subject:** Beauty Salon Manager  
**Date:** Friday, September 19, 1997 8:41AM

I think I could probably write the remaining three study guides for the Beauty Salon Manager course.



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September 19, 1997

Ms. Julie L. Taras  
Martha Stewart Living Television  
11 West 42<sup>nd</sup> Street, 25<sup>th</sup> floor  
New York, NY 10036

Dear Julie:

Thank you for the copy of the video of the Martha Stewart Living program for September 18, 1997. The televised record of Martha Stewart's field trip to the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club's 1997 spring show and auction is truly wonderful. We are very pleased.

The video and its broadcast on national television represent a very important event in the history of exhibition poultry in America. Never before has the hobby had such an enthusiastic endorsement on national television by such a high-profile poultry fancier as Martha Stewart.

The program has everything it should have. It's a very positive and enthusiastic presentation of the hobby. It whets the appetite of the spectator. It shows the interested spectator how to pursue the hobby, should he/she be interested in so doing. It presents the exhibition poultry hobby as a family experience. It shows the world out there that raising poultry for exhibition or for pleasure is a legitimate, interesting, and rewarding thing to do. It reminds the viewer that raising poultry is one of the many possible ways to connect to the natural and organic soil from which we have all sprung.

The background/support information on the Martha Stewart webpage, in addition, is very good.

You've thought of everything. Congratulations on a job very well done.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
Central Pennsylvania Avian Club

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September 19, 1997

Ms. Martha Stewart  
Martha Stewart Living  
10 Saugatuck Avenue  
Westport, CT 06880

Dear Martha:

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It was a great pleasure for the club to welcome you to our 1997 Spring Show and Auction and to have you spend the day with us.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
Central Pennsylvania Avian Club  
R. D. 1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

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From: silasrobert  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: mdw7@psu.edu  
Subject: Cobleskill  
X-Status: New

Yes, I am going to Cobleskill and I will take along a female R. C. RIR for Dick Langenbach.

It will be crazy this coming Saturday. I will get my birds at Bloomsburg at 9 P.M. and then go home and get ready to leave for Cobleskill at 5 A.M. on Sunday. I will also go down to Bloomsburg later this week--probably very early on Thursday morning. I have some "For Sale" signs that I want to put on some birds and the signs can not be put on the cages until Thursday.

Yes, it was fun at Bloomsburg on Saturday. I'm sorry that Wally couldn't join us for our walk around the fairgrounds. He has such an engaging personality--and I do so appreciate his sparkling sense of humor!



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** Public Service Announcement  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 23 1997 1:07PM

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Yeats  
**Date:** Thursday, September 18, 1997 7:56AM

I knew that Irish bastard would end up on my wall eventually.

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From: Robert Powell  
To: Paul Warner  
Subject: Yeats  
Date: Tuesday, September 16, 1997 2:29PM

There is a visceral, elemental quality in Yeats' poetry that appeals to me. His poetic worlds seem to have a before/after or here/there structure. And there are birds, lots of birds.

"The Lake Isle of Innisfree"  
here/Innisfree  
--the linnet

"The Wild Swans at Coole"  
the swans are here/the swans are gone  
--the 59 swans

"The Second Coming"  
before the Second Coming/after the Second Coming  
--the falcon  
(This is the first time that I have ever read "The Second Coming.")

"Leda and the Swan"  
before the rape/after the rape  
--the swan

"Sailing to Byzantium"  
here/in Byzantium  
--birds in the trees



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: October  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 23, 1997 9:58AM

I don't know, but I doubt it. Oktoberfest beer is "consumed" in the fall, and they tend to all be lagers. I'm going to guess and say the usage of October as a synonym for beer is probably quite limited to the October ales of Great Britain.

It will, however, make an interesting bit of philological research for me.

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From: Robert Powell  
To: Paul Warner  
Subject: October  
Date: Tuesday, September 23, 1997 9:49AM

There is a rather well known American poem, entitled "October," in which purple gentian are mentioned. I had to memorize it in junior high school. In an effort to find the poem, I did a search (unsuccessful) on Microsoft Bookshelf. Given below is what appeared on the screen when I typed in "October." The second use of the noun is a new one to me.

October (ok-to'ber) noun

1. Abbr. Oct., Oct. The tenth month of the year in the Gregorian calendar.
2. Chiefly British. Ale brewed in October.

[Middle English Octobre, from Old French and from Old English October, both from Latin October, eighth month, from octo, eight.]

Bartender: "What can I get for you you?"  
Customer: "I'll have an October."

Sounds odd.

Is the word used with the same meaning in "Oktoberfest"?

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Kathy Manger  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Public Service Announcement  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 23, 1997 1:16PM

Could have fooled me! How are the leaves different from plain old red oaks? (They're in the red oak family, aren't they? The white oak family has round lobes.)

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Sharon Massen  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Public Service Announcement  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 23, 1997 3:59PM

could that be why it's called Oak St.? S  
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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Marinaro  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Cc:** everyone  
**Subject:** RE: Public Service Announcement  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 23, 1997 3:58PM

I hope all are students are as quick to learn the tree identification Unit.  
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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Beverly Petrini  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Public Service Announcement  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 23, 1997 1:37PM

Thank you. Isn't it interesting that there are 7 (possibly for the days of the week) and that the one by the brass is "black oak"?????????  
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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Jim Shemanski  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Public Service Announcement  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 23, 1997 1:18PM

Those who believe there's something querci about the place have had their point reinforced.  
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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Botony  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 24, 1997 1:09PM

A fool sees not the same tree that a wise man sees.

William Blake (1757-1827), English poet, painter, engraver. The Marriage of Heaven and Hell, plate 7, "Proverbs of Hell" (1790-93; repr. in Complete Writings, ed. by Geoffrey Keynes, 1957).

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Electronic wizardry and empirical science  
**Date:** Thursday, September 25, 1997 4:43PM

Yep.

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From: Robert Powell  
To: Paul Warner  
Subject: Electronic wizardry and empirical science  
Date: Thursday, September 25, 1997 4:40PM

My computer is, I fear, seriously unwell.

Your William Blake e-mail of yesterday afternoon just now appeared on my screen.

Blake speaks about seeing a tree from more than one perspective.

Having begun this study guide on tree identification, I have become obsessed (possibly more so than usual) with identifying every tree that I see. No question marks. What is it? All evidence must be examined. The mad scientist steps forward.

On the basis of olfactory evidence, I determined this afternoon that a Birch tree that grows in the bank at the back of the ICS building is, in fact, a Black Birch and not a Yellow Birch.

Linnaeus would be proud!

A.P.A. AND A.B.A.  
GENERAL LICENSED JUDGE  
BART PALS  
1119 EAST STATE STREET  
MASON CITY, IOWA 50401  
(515)424-3709

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9/22/97

Robert;

I just saw the Martha Stewart tape. I thought it was WONDERFUL. You truly did an outstanding job. I think that is one of the best poultry promotional shows I have ever seen.

We might be surprised at how much good that does for poultry.

Bart Pals



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**October 5, 1997**

Fractured and dislocated my radius, at midnight. I was helping Mom into her wheelchair upon our arrival back home after the weekend in Mumford for the Rochester show (where I had Champion American and Reserve Champion Standard on the same Partridge Rock that won at Cobleskill; also Champion AOSB on a B. B, Red Modern Game cock). The wheelchair started to roll down the hill towards the house--Mom was not in it, fortunately. I caught the chair just as it was about to crash into the side of the house. Regrettably, I slipped on the wet grass and messed up my arm.

I woke up DWP and he got Mom into the house. I then drove the truck up to the barn and unloaded the chickens. I then drove myself to the emergency room at Marian Community Hospital. Great pain. They put on a provisional cast.

**October 6, 1997**

Dr. Mogerman set my arm. He's a good guy. Been a member of the Historical Society for years.

**October 16, 1997**

Just got a flu shot at ICS.

Candled the Buff Minorca eggs under the Partridge Rock last

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night. Most of them are fertile, which is excellent news.

I've got about a dozen Partridge Rock, Black Orpington, R.C. RIR eggs to set. I like the idea of getting this early start on the hatching season. I must set up the Modern Game breeding pens.

#### **October 21, 1997**

Surgery on my left arm. First time ever for anesthesia. No problem. Dr. Mogerman and the staff at Marian Community Hospital were wonderful. I now have a metal truss, of sorts, applied to my arm and wrist--with pins going directly into the bones.

I phoned Paul Warner to report that all was well.

#### **October 23, 1997**

Flowers delivered to SRP at home from Product Development. Very thoughtful. I am touched.

#### **October 24, 1997**

Back to ICS. It's good "to get back to normal." Warm reception of SRP. Very touching.

#### **October 27, 1997**

Decided to take my APA judge's test (Large and Bantam Chicken) at this year's Virginia Poultry Breeders' Show at Richmond on November 22-23.

Wrote Chuck Oltersdorf today and told him that I would like to take the exam at Richmond. Also wrote to Mark Whitebread and invited him to go to Richmond with me. Hopefully this metal contraption will be off my arm by that time. If not, I will probably have to postpone the showroom exam, as it will be difficult to handle the birds during the hands-on portion of the exam.

I will attend (but not show at) the Garden State Show this year. As yet, I have not made the decision as to whether I will go to Flemington on Saturday or Sunday.

#### **October 28, 1997**

Seven standard Buff "Minorca" chick plus one standard Partridge Rock chick hatched yesterday and last night under a standard Partridge Rock in the barn.

These "Minorcas" are the result of a breeding experiment: a pure Buff Minorca cockerel, the front half of which is very good, especially the head; back OK, tail not so good. This bird was mated to a very large buff colored Buff Rock/Buff Orpington cross hen, with white legs. With any luck, some of the chicks should be very respectable Buff Minorcas; some might be respectable Buff

Orpingtons. We shall see. Many more fertile eggs from this pair now under incubation.

The Partridge Rock is from the cockerel that I bought at Cobleskill from the Genna family of Olive Bridge, NY for \$10. The Genna family, it seems, purchased 25 chicks from Kruger's Kluckers a year or so ago. They decided to keep the pullets and get rid of the cockerels. The bird that they sold me at Cobleskill is a superior PPR male: excellent back, good red in the hackle, good comb. I was extremely pleased that the Genna family (seeing my PPR pullet on Champions' Row) asked me if I wanted to buy a PPR male. When I looked at the bird, I knew in a second that I wanted him. I would have paid \$40 for him but they were asking \$10. I returned from Cobleskill and immediately put him in a breeding pen with three of my PPR hens that were laying or about to begin laying. This chick that hatched this morning is the offspring of that Cobleskill male and one of my hens. I hope that many more fertile PPR eggs come forward from the Cobleskill male in the weeks and months ahead. I have switched him in and out of the PPR breeding pen, alternating him with my best PPR male--purchased from Norman Ennis at Richmond last November.

In the course of this fall and winter, I will raise as many PPRs as I can.

There are also eggs now under incubation from a Black Orpington breeding pen. I am very anxious to have some additional young Black Orpingtons. There is also the Splash Orpington pullet. As soon as she starts to lay well, I will put her in the Orpington pen. Chicks from her and a black Cockerel should give both black and blue chicks.

There are three additional hens now setting on eggs: Minorca, RIR, Black Orpington, and PPR. As soon as I make some Modern Game decisions, I'll have some Modern Game eggs to incubate.

In the absence of an available setter, I turned the incubator on last night and put about 19 eggs in it. I am not particularly interested in having the incubator going, but I can not pass up these fertile eggs from some of my best birds.



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From: sam baker <sam.giants@worldnet.att.net>  
Return-path: <sam.giants@worldnet.att.net>  
Reply-To: SAM.GIANTS@worldnet.att.net  
To: "S. R. Powell" <silasrobert@juno.com>  
Date: Tue, 30 Sep 1997 20:58:09 -0500  
Subject: Re: Rochester Poultry Show  
Message-ID: <3431AE31.12C9@worldnet.att.net>  
References: <19970916.111523.3414.0.silasrobert@juno.com>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0C-WorldNet (Win95; I)

S. R. Powell wrote:

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> The Rochester Show is always very nice--probably 700-800 birds, with  
> lots  
> of rare and unusual pheasants and waterfowl. The number of standard  
> chickens is down, at Rochester and elsewhere. Lots of bantam chickens  
> and  
> waterfowl. Quality is usually very good. Wilbur Stauffer and Robert  
> Steiner will judge the show.  
>  
> The show takes place at the Genessee Farm Museum (GFM)--which is  
> extraordinary. The GFM is, to my way of thinking, a kind of colonial  
> Williamsburg of the North. Very professional and yet very authentic and  
> alive. It's a beautifully put together colonial American upstate New  
> York town, which comes alive a couple of times a year--the weekend of  
> October 4-5 is one of those times. Period buildings from all over the  
> state have been moved to Mumford and beautifully assembled in a town  
> format. Lots of activity going on: draft horse show, poultry show,  
> functioning blacksmith shops, pottery shops, people making cider, house  
> tours, carriage rides, and so on. Beautiful gift shop, agricultural  
> museum, art museum, vendors of all kinds.  
>  
> I haven't sent in my poultry entry yet, but I will probably show about  
> fifteen birds: standard Partridge Rocks, Black Orpingtons, maybe a  
> couple  
> Narragansett turkeys, maybe some Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, some  
> Modern  
> Games, some Single Comb White Leghorns, and a Black Muscovy drake. The  
> entry deadline is September 27th, and I always wait to the last minute  
> to  
> enter in order to make sure that what I enter is in good show  
> condition.  
Thanks for the info about the Rochester show. I am planning to attend and  
looking forward to it. Sorry about the long delay in answering. I did see  
the Martha Stewart show and I think you should quit your day job! It  
looked like a great show, and you did a good job. You wouldn't happen to  
know any Faverolle breeders up your way. I just acquired a trio of  
Salmon Faverolles and looking for some pullets, or hens. If you know of  
any you can give the info to Paul as we will be leaving for N.Y.  
thurs. A.M. Hope to see you at the show. Make sure that brother-in-law of  
mine stays busy.....ITS A GOOD THING!... Thanks  
again.....Sam

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From: mdw7@email.psu.edu (mark whitebread)  
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To: silasrobert@juno.com  
Date: Wed, 01 Oct 1997 00:50:54 -0400  
Subject: Cheers!  
Message-ID: <199710010452.AAA46362@r02n05.cac.psu.edu>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Windows Eudora Version 1.4.3

I truly couldn't be more pleased! Thank God you went. I would have loved to

have been there, but I was in search of a buxom blonde. It didn't happen.

I

spoke with M. Burns this evening, and he informed me of all the correspondence he has received regarding the show. Sounds Great! What time

are you leaving for Rochester? If you have room I would like to send a pair

of RC W Leghorns along for Tom Tucker. Perhaps I could come up Sat. morning

and drop them off? Let me know.

Also, keep Sat. the 25th open, I'm having a party and you are invited.

There will be about 20 people, all quite civilized, great food, good wine,

and me. What more could you want? M. Burns will be attending as well.

Until

then, thanks awfully, MDW

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From: mdw7@email.psu.edu (mark whitebread)  
Return-path: <mdw7@email.psu.edu>  
To: silasrobert@juno.com  
Date: Tue, 30 Sep 1997 01:38:33 -0400  
Subject: trying to get through  
Message-ID: <199709300540.BAA79628@r02n05.cac.psu.edu>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Windows Eudora Version 1.4.3

I mailed you the other night, but for some reason it came back to me.  
Plus i  
tried to send it over and over again but wasn't able to work this  
infernal  
machine. If you didn't receive the other mail, CONGRATULATIONS!!!, on  
your  
win at Cobleskill. I'm sure the Harringtons were crying in their beer!  
Anyway mail me with all the details, MDW



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From: silasrobert  
Full-Name:  
To: dstiles@epix.net  
Subject: OOOPS!  
X-Status: New

Thank you for the reminder. I'm sorry that both my brother and I missed the deadline of October 1st.

I will talk with him tonight and call you tomorrow with a pigeon show entry from him and me.

I anxious to know how the numbers look for the show.

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## **S. Robert Powell's APA Master Exhibitor Points**

### **Eastern New York State Poultry Fanciers' Association Show, 09-30-1990**

Champion Standard: Black Orpington pullet (5 points)

### **York County Poultry Fanciers' Association Show, 10-27/28-1990**

Champion American: Partridge Plymouth Rock cockerel (15 points)

### **Twin Tier Poultry Club Show, 09-15-1991**

Reserve Champion Standard: Black Minorca hen (5 points)

Champion Bantam: Black Modern Game hen (5 points)

### **Eastern New York State Poultry Fanciers' Association Show, 09-29-1991**

Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Plymouth Rock hen (5 points)

### **Rochester Poultry Association Show, 10-06-1991**

Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Plymouth Rock cockerel (10 points)

### **Buffalo and Western New York Poultry Association Show, 05-17-1992**

Reserve Champion Standard: Single Comb Black Minorca hen (5 points)

### **Twin Tier Poultry Club Show, 09-13-1992**

Champion Standard: Golden Campine cockerel (5 points)

### **Eastern New York State Poultry Fanciers' Association Show, 09-26/27-1992**

Reserve Champion Standard: Rose Comb Rhode Island Red cockerel (5 points)

### **Rochester Poultry Association Show, 10-04-1992**

Champion Standard: Rose Comb Rhode Island Red cockerel (15 points)

### **Garden State Poultry Fanciers' Show, 10-17/18-1992**

Champion English: Black Orpington hen (10 points)

Champion Standard: Rose Comb Rhode Island Red cockerel (10 points)

### **York County Poultry Fanciers' Show, 10-24/25-1992**

Champion English: Black Orpington pullet (5 points)

### **Pennsylvania Farm Show Poultry Show, 01-8/13-1994**

Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Plymouth Rock pullet (15 points)

### **Central Pennsylvania Avian Club Show, 05-01-1994**

Champion American: Rose Comb Rhode Island Red pullet (listed by APA as a hen) (5 points)

**Twin Tier Poultry Club Show, 09-11-199**

Champion Standard: Partridge Plymouth Rock hen (5 points)  
 Champion AOSB: B. B. Red Modern Game cock (5 points)

**Sussex County Poultry Fanciers' Association Show, 04-22/23-1995**

Champion Standard: Partridge Plymouth Rock hen (5 points)

**New York State Fair, 08-24-95--09-04-1995**

Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Plymouth Rock hen (15 points)

**Dutchess County Poultry Fanciers' Association Show, 06-16-1996**

Champion Standard: Partridge Plymouth Rock hen (5 points)

**Twin Tier Poultry Club's 14th Annual Show, 09-08-1996**

Champion Continental and Champion Standard: Golden Campine hen (10 points)

**The New York State Fair, August 21—September 1, 1997**

Champion American: Partridge Plymouth Rock hen (10 points)  
 Champion English: Black Orpington hen (10 points)

**Eastern New York State Poultry Fanciers' Association Show, September 28, 1997**

Champion American, Champion Standard, and Grand Champion of the Show:  
 Partridge Plymouth Rock pullet (10 points)

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Partridge Plymouth Rock, as of September 28, 1997: 95 points

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Master Exhibitor points summaries:

1990 20 points  
 1991 25 points  
 1992 55 points  
 1993 00 points  
 1994 30 points  
 1995 20 points  
 [above all in APA yearbooks]  
 1996 15 points (?) (Dutchess, +5, Bath, +10)  
1997 30 points (?) (NYS Fair +20; Cobleskill +10)  
 195 points to date



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## **BIG WINS** (as of 09-28-97)

### **Champion Bantam**

Black Modern Game hen, Twin Tier, 1991

### **Reserve Champion Standard**

S. C. Black Minorca hen, Twin tier, 1991  
Partridge Rock hen, Cobleskill, 1991  
Partridge Rock cockerel, Rochester, 1991  
S. C. Black Minorca hen, Buffalo, 1992  
R. C. Rhode Island Red cockerel, Cobleskill, 1992  
Partridge Rock pullet, PA Farm Show, 1994  
Partridge Rock hen, NYS Fair, 1995

### **Champion Standard**

Black Orpington pullet, Cobleskill, 1990  
Golden Campine cockerel, Twin Tier, 1992  
R. C. Rhode Island Red cockerel, Rochester, 1992  
R. C. Rhode Island Red cockerel, Garden State, 1992  
Partridge Rock hen, Twin Tier, 1994  
Partridge Rock hen, Sussex, 1995  
Partridge Rock hen, Dutchess County, 1996  
Golden Campine hen, Twin Tier, 1996  
Partridge Rock pullet, Cobleskill, 1997

### **Grand Champion of the Show**

R. C. Rhode Island Red cockerel, Rochester, 1992  
Pearl Guinea Fowl cock, Bloomsburg, 1994  
Partridge Rock pullet, Cobleskill, 1997

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### **Class Champions** (with 25 birds for standards, 50 for bantams)

American, 14  
Mediterranean, 2  
English, 4  
Continental, 2  
All Other Standard Breeds, 1  
Modern Game bantam, 1

## BLOOMSBURG FALL SHOW

By S. Robert Powell

The Central Pennsylvania Avian Club's 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Fall Show will take place on October 19<sup>th</sup>. The show will be

held in the poultry building on the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds.

Briget Kane (1-304-788-5555) is the poultry show secretary. Troy Laroche and Tom Kane will serve as the judges of the poultry show.

David Stiles (1-717-465-3207) is the pigeon show secretary. Terry Fick and Nuard Naugle will serve as the judges of the pigeon show.

On Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup>, the day before the Third Annual Fall Show, the Reverend Roland Romig, beginning at 10 am, will conduct an auction of live poultry and related items. Invariably, this is a large auction and broad ranges of birds are sold at reasonable prices.

To consign birds, please take them to the auction in a box to go with the birds when sold. The sale birds will be placed in show cages only immediately before they are sold and then returned to the box provided by the consignor. Consignments of birds and equipment are welcome from all.

Surprising and remarkable things have a way of happening at the Bloomsburg shows. At our Spring show in May of this year, for example, two very exciting events took place.

The first was the special appearance by Martha Stewart, guru of fine living, author, and nationally known television personality. Assisted by ABA Judge Johnny Batson, Martha Stewart selected the most beautiful bird in the show and awarded its owners a rosette. The bird chosen by Martha Stewart was a White Crested Blue Polish hen that was shown by Joel and Ellen Henning of Colden, New York.

On May 9<sup>th</sup>, the Friday following the show, Martha Stewart was a guest on The Tonight Show. In a

conversation with Jay Leno, Martha Stewart remarked that she had "had the best time last Saturday [at] the Central Pennsylvania Avian Show."

This special appearance by Martha Stewart at the show was clearly the magical ingredient that transformed what is invariably an interesting and exciting annual event into an unforgettable experience for all concerned.

Footage that Martha Stewart's film crew shot at the CPAC's show and auction in May was broadcast on the Martha Stewart television program on Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup>.

Martha Stewart's visit to the CPAC's spring show was truly "a good thing" for the CPAC and for the exhibition poultry hobby in general.

The second exciting event that took place at the CPAC's Spring show was the 1997 ABA Semi-annual meet. At that important meeting of the American Bantam Association, a successful qualifying meet for Mottled Old English Game Bantams, judged by ABA Vice-President Ralph Sheriff, Jr., took place.

We can't promise that the level of excitement at this year's Fall show on October 19<sup>th</sup> will be equal to that of our 1997 Spring Show, but we can guarantee that you will have a good time and that you will be glad you showed at Bloomsburg.



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From: silasrobert  
Full-Name:  
To: dstiles@epix.net  
Subject: Pigeon show entry  
X-Status: New

At long last, here is our entry.

Donald W. Powell will show:

REVERSEWING POUTERS

Black (old pair)  
Black (young pair)  
Red (young pair)  
Silver (old male)

S. Robert Powell will show:

RACING HOMERS (flown)

Blue Check (old cock)  
Blue Bar (old cock)  
Blue Bar (young hen)  
Blue Check (young hen)

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Before you take this drug, be sure that your doctor knows your entire medical history.

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they do not contain acetaminophen. An overdose of acetaminophen can be harmful.

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**NOTES:** To prevent constipation, increase your intake of fiber, drink plenty of water and exercise.

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**STORAGE:** Store at room temperature away from sunlight and moisture.

Mike Panese (Managing Editor  
of Product Development; to SRP  
at Colleen Mc Grow's "happy  
hour" on 10/24/97) :

I hate to see Colleen go. She  
and Paul Warner and you were  
all hired at more or less the  
same time. What a bumper  
crop! "

What a nice thing for Mike to  
say — and to say it directly  
to me. His intent with the  
word "bumper" was "high quality  
and bountiful".

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10/24/97 at Malcolm's on  
Drinker Street,  
Dumfries.

"Happy hour" to mark Colleen  
Mc Graw's departure from  
Product Development.

Paul Warner & Marie McTague  
arrived about 9 PM; Paul  
offered to drive my truck home  
for me due to my messed up  
arm. Very thoughtful of  
him. He is very special.



Scrooge, in life I was your partner.

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by Paul Warner  
[posted below pumpkin  
above my desk,  
10-24-97]

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Have a  
cup-o-ten

- put by Paul Warner  
on my desk following  
my return to work  
after my arm surgery.

Oct. 1997

5360

From: silasrobert  
Full-Name:  
To: mdw7@psu.edu  
Subject: Rochester  
X-Status: Unsent

It was a beautiful show.

Many people asked for you. I explained that you were in Paris, negotiating a contract for 30 percent of this year's Beaujolais harvest.

The Cobleskill Partridge Rock pullet was Champion American and Reserve Champion Standard. A Light Brahma hen shown by Art Lundgren was Champion Standard. Don Krahe judged the standards. There was also a beautiful Speckled Sussex hen (shown by Gary Overton) and a beautiful B. B. Red Modern Game cock (Champion AOSB, shown by SRP) on Champions' Row. Any of those birds could have been chosen as Champion Standard. Many people thought that my Partridge Rock pullet was the best bird there. No matter. The wonderful news is that this win on PARTRIDGE ROCKS puts me over the top on points, and I now qualify for the APA's GRAND MASTER EXHIBITOR AWARD with Partridge Rocks.

The 1997 APA YEARBOOK is finally out. The CPAC'S pages look great!

I broke one of the bones in my left arm on Sunday night when I was unloading at home following the Rochester show (details when I see you on Saturday). I think we'll have to use the phone to get out the troops for this Saturday's clean-up session.



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15	A	20	Pullet-Partridge Plymouth Rock	2	3.00	23
15	A	20	Pullet-Partridge Plymouth Rock	1	5.00	24
15	A	55	Cockerel-Columbian Wyandotte	1	5.00	56
15	A	55	Cockerel-Columbian Wyandotte	2	3.00	57
15	A	55	Cockerel-Columbian Wyandotte	3	2.00	55
15	A	56	Pullet-Columbian Wyandotte	2	3.00	59
15	A	56	Pullet-Columbian Wyandotte	3	2.00	60
15	A	56	Pullet-Columbian Wyandotte	1	5.00	58
15	A	69	Cock-RC Rhode Island Red	2	3.00	83
15	A	69	Cock-RC Rhode Island Red	3	2.00	81
15	A	69	Cock-RC Rhode Island Red	1	5.00	82
15	A	70	Hen-RC Rhode Island Red	1	5.00	84
15	A	70	Hen-RC Rhode Island Red	2	3.00	85
15	C	137	Cock-SC White Leghorn	1	5.00	145
15	C	138	Hen-SC White Leghorn	1	5.00	150
15	C	203	Cockerel-Buff Minorca	1	5.00	218
15	C	203	Cockerel-Buff Minorca	2	3.00	219
15	C	204	Pullet-Buff Minorca	1	5.00	222
15	C	204	Pullet-Buff Minorca	2	3.00	221
15	C	204	Pullet-Buff Minorca	3	2.00	223
15	D	242	Hen-Black Orpington	2	3.00	263
15	D	242	Hen-Black Orpington	1	5.00	262
15	E	374	Hen-Golden Campine	1	5.00	332
15	E	374	Hen-Golden Campine	2	3.00	331
15	G	425	Cock-Black-Breastd Red, Modern	1	5.00	459
15	G	425	Cock-Black-Breastd Red, Modern	2	3.00	453
15	G	426	Hen-Black-Breasted Red, Modern	1	5.00	460
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15	G	429	Cock-AOV Modern	2	3.00	463
15	G	429	Cock-AOV Modern	1	5.00	465
15	G	429	Cock-AOV Modern	3	2.00	464
15	G	430	Hen-AOV Modern	3	2.00	468
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15	G	430	Hen-AOV Modern	2	3.00	466
15	U	2000	Best Male-Large Fowl	1	2.00	
15	U	2000	Best Male-Large Fowl	1	2.00	
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15	U	4000	Best American Male	1	5.00	
15	U	4001	Best American Female	1	5.00	
15	U	4009	Best Mediterranean Female	1	5.00	
15	U	4013	Best English Female	1	5.00	

TOTAL PREMIUM MONEY AWARDED \$ 175.00

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From: Paul Warner <p-w@rocketmail.com>  
Return-path: <p-w@rocketmail.com>  
To: silasrobert@juno.com  
Date: Sat, 11 Oct 1997 18:11:47 -0700 (PDT)  
Subject: A Mutt: Part Bull Terrier and a Trace of Fox Terrier  
Message-ID: <19971012011147.7027.rocketmail@send2.rocketmail.com>  
X-Status: Read

Webturbo works! (It took me appx. one minute to find the following info. at the nipperscape web site.)

Nipper is perhaps the best-known and most loved advertising trademark. In the United States, we know him as the "RCA dog." But he started life in Bristol, England in 1884. Nipper was a mutt, part bull terrier and a trace of fox terrier.

<<http://www.ais.org/%7Elsa/nipper.html>>

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From: silasrobert  
Full-Name:  
To: p-w@rocketmail.com  
Subject: Re: A Mutt: Part Bull Terrier and a Trace of Fox Terrier  
References: <19971012011147.7027.rocketmail@send2.rocketmail.com>  
X-Status: New

Hey Rocket Man!

I yearn for the Webturbo setup that was on my old computer at one time! The AOL folderol that I now have is not worth a brass farthing.

My interest in the name of the "RCA dog" is great. When I was a wee lad (Herbert Hoover was then in the White House, as I recall, and "things had value"), we had a short-haired dachshund that was named Nipper. The name was probably suggested by my parents. It seems unlikely that my brothers and I would have come up with the name by ourselves.

It's very interesting that the original Nipper had a trace of fox terrier in him. My father was always very fond of fox terriers. The family dog before Nipper, in fact, was a fox terrier.

Earthling-Bob [formerly CyberBob]



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**Robert Powell**

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**To:** Everyone  
**Subject:** RE: Sick and Vacation Time Payout memo

By this time, you will all have read, signed, and returned to Denise the October 10 memo from Human Resources.

From the perspective of someone (me, for example) who has a special fondness for the future perfect tense, the memo is a rare and beautiful document.

The crystalline verbal precision of the memo is a glorious tribute to the unsung legions of English teachers who, in the face of the recent--and horrifying--dumbing down of learning and culture, continue to insist that language be used correctly.

"We're all standing in the mud, but some of us are looking at the stars." Oscar Wilde

Three cheers for the future perfect. Long may it live!

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**Robert Powell**

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To: Paul Warner  
Subject: "Summer's murdered. . ."

Very fluid and evocative.

Effective use of multi-layered, free-floating metaphor.

Natural cycles.

Effective use of zeugma.

Time the creator--things created in time and removed from time.

Time the destroyer--seasons, leaves, deer, time, poems.

Rebirth: circle in quadrants--no beginning, no end.

Guillaume Apollinaire.

Lawrence Ferlinghetti. ("Constantly risking absurdity. . .")

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Interesting poem. I enjoyed reading it.

Given above are some observations/thoughts/reactions that came to mind as I read the poem.



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Summer's murdered:  
you can smell the change.  
Like metal in shade,  
air in autumn cools  
with burning leaves an accent:

Time for Killing Time.

I saw it on the bough of the ash—  
this one skinlocker

(pendant)  
hindlegsbound,  
flag stuck white,  
belly gone,  
ears hard and cold,  
busted-luck antlers,  
eyes dull, and  
forelegs  
stiffened  
with  
hooves  
pointed  
down

at some leaves  
on the grass,  
leaves from the ash,  
first to be gathered,  
then to be burned.

But even this,

even now,

is only killing time.

You're only searching among the  
leaves,  
stalking  
your very own poet prize,

yet another

to hang onto the ash.

(Some would scribble away,  
and scribble away,  
their fall on hide.)



C2-Lancaster Farming, Saturday, October 11, 1997

## Secretary Cancels Poultry Exhibits At Farm Show

HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.)

— Agriculture Secretary Samuel E. Hayes Jr. announced the cancellation of all live poultry and poultry-related product exhibits at the Pennsylvania Farm Show in January. This cancellation includes emu, ostrich, and rhea exhibits.

"This is strictly precautionary to prevent the possible transmission of the H7N2 avian influenza virus through exhibits at the show," Hayes said. "I am pleased we have had no new incidences of avian influenza in Pennsylvania since July. However, we must not relax our vigilance. The commercial poultry industry is extremely vital to Pennsylvania's agricultural economy. I am going to do what I can to protect our poultry farmers."

In June, Gov. Tom Ridge signed a bill providing \$5 million to poultry producers affected by the outbreak. The money is being used to reimburse owners for one-third the value of destroyed flocks, for the cost of cleaning and sanitizing the poultry houses, and for other preventative and control measures.

Hayes said the history of the virus indicates the greatest influenza risk to poultry may come with cooler weather, and he urged continued attention to strict biosecurity within the industry.

"Immediate discovery is an important key to minimizing the spread of the virus. We ask all producers to continue to participate in biosecurity surveillance by the department and have any unusual respiratory disorders diag-

nosed by a laboratory," Hayes said.

In July, Hayes canceled poultry exhibits at county and community fairs in nine southeastern counties. This ban is in effect for the remainder of 1997.

The current outbreak of H7N2 began in Lebanon County in December. Since then, 16 flocks were diagnosed with the virus, affecting about 1.75 million laying chickens. Nearly one million of them were destroyed in an effort to halt the spread of the disease.

A quarantine imposed on a 75-square mile area of northwestern Lancaster County in May remains in effect.

Hayes asked producers to continue to keep poultry houses locked, allowing only essential personnel into houses. Workers should wear clean or disposable coveralls, head cover and plastic boots which can be discarded or boots which can be thoroughly washed and disinfected. A disinfectant footbath should be used and changed daily.

Movements of all vehicles should be restricted, and vehicles should be disinfected. All supplies brought to farms should be either new, or clean, washed, and disinfected.

Hayes commended the poultry industry for their diligence in containing the virus, but noted the

cooperative efforts must continue.

"We must continue to work together to reduce the threat of a resurgence of the influenza. I am not ready to declare victory just because we have had a string of virus-free weeks. We must stand guard," Hayes said.

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Paul  
The

Welsh dragon  
is wonderful, and  
I am very pleased  
to have it. Thanks  
again.

Robert

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[Paul Jones]

[Every Avery]

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Every -

Thanks  
again  
for the  
extra

reminder  
to me to  
get my  
entry in  
for the cobbleskull  
show!

Remind  
me to  
always  
follow  
your  
advice!

On my  
way  
home from  
the  
Rochester

show -  
I broke  
my arm.

What a  
mess.

Quack, Quack, Quack,  
Robert

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[Roger Davis]

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Roger  
What  
an ad-  
venture  
I had  
on my  
way home  
from  
Rochester!

I broke my  
arm in  
my own  
backyard.  
Did so &  
was  
running  
after my  
mother's  
wheelchair as it  
rolled  
down a  
hill.

My  
mother & the  
wheelchair are  
fine — I'm a mess!

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See ya,  
Robert

10-13-97

[Duff Wehle]

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Dear Duff,

The Rochester show last Sunday was beautiful.

Thanks for all that you did to make the show the success that it was.

Best regards,

S. Robert Powell

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Dear Bob,  
It was good

[Robert Steiner] 5372

to have  
the chance  
to visit  
with you  
at Rochester.

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In 1991,  
at Rochester,  
you  
made my day  
when you  
chose a  
Partridge  
Rock  
Cockerel  
that I was  
showing  
as Champ.  
American—

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also  
Reserve  
Champ. Standard.  
That  
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on my way home from  
Rochester this year, I broke my arm. What  
a mess! Best regards, Robert Powell



[Audrey & Gary Overton] 5373

10-13-97

Dear A+G,

It was  
good to  
see  
you--

and your  
beautiful  
birds-- at

Rochester  
last  
Sunday.

What an  
adventure  
I had on the  
way

home. I

broke  
my arm  
in my

own  
backyard!  
ouch!

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See ya,  
Robert Powell

10/13/97

Dear M & O —  
Thanks again for doing  
all that you did to make  
your show <sup>5374</sup> the great  
success  
that  
it  
was.  
I'll  
send  
you  
a  
space  
ad  
before  
11/10.  
minutes  
after I  
arrived  
home  
from  
Rochester,  
I fell  
in my  
own  
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circus! What a mess! See ya,  
Robert

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[Marionella & Dan Schantz]

10-13-97

Dear Beth,  
Thanks again for all that you did to make  
the Cobleskill show the <sup>5375</sup> great success

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it was.  
I'll  
send  
you a  
"space  
ad"

before  
11/10.  
For  
my  
records,  
can  
you  
please  
tell  
me  
more  
about  
the  
two  
memorial  
trophies  
that  
my  
Partridge  
Rock

win at your show.

Best regards,  
Robert

[Beth Adams]

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trophies  
that  
my  
Partridge  
Rock



[Johnny Batson]

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10-13-97

Dear Johnny,

Did you see the

month's Stewart show on 9-18-97?

If you need a tape of the

show, just let me know.

See article herein on p. 3.

Best regards,

S. Robert Powell

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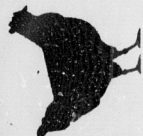
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to the buyer); the twelve show cages that are owned by the club will be used for the auction; Rev. Romig will be the auctioneer; CPAC members will perhaps handle the birds at the point of sale.

Leon Keeler reported that two additional names should be added to the memorial list of deceased club members: Marlin Eyster and Fred Fike.

THE SHOW: October 19<sup>th</sup>; Tom Kane and Troy LaRoche will judge the poultry show; it seems likely that we'll have 800-900 chickens and waterfowl and about 500 pigeons (judged by Muard Naugle and Terry Fick); the food stand (to be set up in what building?) will be run by Briget Kane's sister and her family; additional specials are needed for the show.

Mark Burns, Treasurer, reported that we have \$463 in the checking account (Briget already has money for the show) and \$126 in petty cash.

Carl Harris reminded the club that we were remiss in fulfilling our reciprocal specials arrangement with the Twin Tier Poultry Club before their show on September 7<sup>th</sup>. This oversight will be corrected.

It was agreed that all members of the club should

always be mailed a copy of all show catalogues.

Leon Keeler donated to the club a box of pigeon trophies, to be recycled.

Mark Whitebread announced that he will not accept the nomination for the presidency of the club for the coming year.

Robert Powell announced that the CPAC's Spring Show and Auction will be featured on the Martha Stewart Living television broadcast on Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. "This will be a big moment for the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club and for exhibition poultry," said he.

With no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at 2:15 P.M.

S. Robert Powell  
Recording Secretary

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## 1997 BLOOMSBURG FAIR

The CPAC has enjoyed a very positive working relationship with the Bloomsburg Fair over the years, due in a large measure to the support and friendship we have enjoyed with the poultry superintendent of the Bloomsburg Fair, Paul Slusser.

As usual, the poultry display was one of the main agricultural attractions at this year's fair. The exhibitors this year were as follows:

### **Waterfowl and Turkeys**

Craig Russell, Harold Strawser, and the Rev. Roland Romig.

### **Poultry Show**

Arlene Buss, Tom Buss, Feather Edge Farm, Carl-Betty-Seth Harris, Hilltop Game Farm, Robert and Jacob Mowrey, Beverly J. Oakes, Jeffrey M. Oakes, S. Robert Powell, Bob Simons, Joseph Trone, and Jarrod York.

The poultry show was judged by George Schroeder, Elton Minnich, and Dick Greubel.

The show champions were as follows:

#### **Best Standard male:**

Single Comb Light Brown Leghorn cock, shown by Feather Edge Farm

#### **Best Standard female:**

Single Comb White Leghorn hen, shown by S. Robert Powell

#### **Best Bantam cock:**

Mottled Japanese cock, shown by Thomas Buss

#### **Best Bantam hen:**

Black Cochinchina pullet, shown by Arlene Buss

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### **CPAC's 1997 SPRING SHOW AND AUCTION ON NATIONAL TELEVISION**

We, as a club, made our national television debut on Thursday, September 18, 1997, when our 1997 Spring Auction and Show were featured on Martha Stewart's daily television program.

The broadcast material includes both auction and show footage--and a lot more! It is truly wonderful! The broadcast, it can be argued, represents a very important event in the history of exhibition poultry in America. Never before has the hobby had such an enthusiastic endorsement on national television by such a high-profile poultry fancier as Martha Stewart.

The program has everything it should have. It's a very positive and enthusiastic presentation of the hobby. It whets the appetite of the spectator. It shows the interested spectator how to pursue the hobby, should he be interested in doing so. It presents the exhibition poultry hobby as a family experience. It shows the world out there that raising poultry for exhibition or pleasure is a legitimate, interesting, and rewarding thing to do. It reminds the viewer that raising poultry is one of the many possible ways to connect to the natural and organic soil from which we have all sprung.

We, as a club, have received compliments and congratulations from far and near on the Martha Stewart visit to our Spring Show and Auction. On 9/22, Bart Pals, a member of the CPAC and the Vice President of the American Poultry Association, sent the following note to Robert Powell:

"I just saw the Martha Stewart tape. I thought it was WONDERFUL. You truly did an outstanding job. I think that is one of the best poultry promotional shows I've ever seen.

We might be surprised at how much that does for poultry."

Yes, I'm, sure many good things will come as a consequence of Martha Stewart's visit to Bloomsburg this past spring.

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### NICE JOB!

Congratulations and special thanks to Briget Kane (poultry show) and David Stiles (pigeon show) for the beautiful show catalogues that they have produced for our 1997 Fall Show.

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## 1997

## APA YEARBOOK

The 1997 APA YEARBOOKS are out--and they are beautiful! Lorna Rhodes, the secretary/treasurer of the APA is

the chairman of the APA Yearbook Committee. The other members of the committee are Bart Pals, Emmett Rachel, Dick Stevens, and Fred Zillich.

Congratulations on a job well done are due to the entire committee from poultry fanciers everywhere.

Among the many items of interest to CPAC members in the 1997 *Yearbook* are three articles by CPAC members:

"Partridge Plymouth Rocks" by S. Robert Powell (pp. 61-67)

"Cuckoo Dorkings" by Craig Russell (pp. 105-107)

"Raising Poultry in Iowa" by Bart Pals (pp. 156-158)

Three articles by CPAC members! That's pretty good, especially since there are only ten articles in the 1997 *Yearbook*.

Pages 176-177 will be of particular interest to CPAC members, as they contain a complete CPAC membership list (with complete address and phone number) for 1997. Those two pages are reproduced on the following two pages.

Maybe you should think about keeping this CPAC NEWSLETTER near your phone? When you need a fellow member's address or phone number, you'll have it.



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From: Paul Warner <p-w@rocketmail.com>  
Return-path: <p-w@rocketmail.com>  
To: silasrobert@juno.com  
Date: Sat, 11 Oct 1997 18:11:47 -0700 (PDT)  
Subject: A Mutt: Part Bull Terrier and a Trace of Fox Terrier  
Message-ID: <19971012011147.7027.rocketmail@send2.rocketmail.com>  
X-Status: Read

Webturbo works! (It took me appx. one minute to find the following info. at the nipperscape web site.)

Nipper is perhaps the best-known and most loved advertising trademark. In the United States, we know him as the "RCA dog." But he started life in Bristol, England in 1884. Nipper was a mutt, part bull terrier and a trace of fox terrier.

<<http://www.ais.org/%7Elsa/nipper.html>>

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From: silasrobert  
Full-Name:  
To: p-w@rocketmail.com  
Subject: Re: A Mutt: Part Bull Terrier and a Trace of Fox Terrier  
References: <19971012011147.7027.rocketmail@send2.rocketmail.com>  
X-Status: New

Hey Rocket Man!

I yearn for the Webturbo setup that was on my old computer at one time!  
The AOL folderol that I now have is not worth a brass farthing.

My interest in the name of the "RCA dog" is great. When I was a wee lad (Herbert Hoover was then in the White House, as I recall, and "things had value"), we had a short-haired dachshund that was named Nipper. The name was probably suggested by my parents. It seems unlikely that my brothers and I would have come up with the name by ourselves.

It's very interesting that the original Nipper had a trace of fox terrier in him. My father was always very fond of fox terriers. The family dog before Nipper, in fact, was a fox terrier.

Earthling-Bob [formerly CyberBob]



[Kay Saint Amour]

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10/22/97

Dear Kay,

As much as I would love to be able to show at Frederick this year, I can't handle the trip with my broken arm. Yesterday I had surgery on the arm and I am out of commission for a while.

Best wishes for a successful show. Please keep me on your mailing list.

We had snow flurries this morning! Heaven help us all.

Best Regards,  
S. Robert Pavell

[Anson & Marie Tiffany]

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10/22/97

Dear Friends,

The apple pie was delicious.  
Thank you. We three  
each had a piece after  
supper on Monday —  
and then about 8 P.M.  
we all agreed that a  
second piece would  
hit the spot. End of  
pie. We scraped our  
plates and licked our  
forks and stared  
longingly at the  
empty pie pan.

Your thoughtfulness is  
much appreciated.

Sincerely,  
Robert Powell

P.S. I will send a <sup>check</sup> as per ad to Beth Adams for the Poult. Press.

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10/22/97

Dear Lillian,

When I arrived at Cobleskill I entered the show hall with 'a Chicken in one hand and a \$20 bill in the other. I found Beth right away and tried to pay my entry fees. She didn't have any change and said that as soon as she got some she would find me and we would take care of my paying.

Well, she forgot, and so did I. You know how it goes. One thing leads to another and entry fees were not on our minds.

At any rate, I owe the ENYSPA \$14.00. — a check is enclosed.

#2236, \$14, 10/22/97

As always, The Cobleskill show was very nice. Thanks for all your hard work.

Best regards,

Robert Powell



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Style  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 2:55PM

Bully for you!

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Paul Warner  
**Subject:** RE: Style  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 2:53PM

Inveterate sneak that I am, I just finished an exam in a study guide in which I deleted the word "one" in the boilerplate instructions. If someone else re-inserts the word after the manuscript leaves my desk, there's not much that I can do about it.

I am going to continue to correct the redundancy unless told to do so from "above." If the students call in and say there is "more than one" best answer, then they will have to be taught/learn what the superlative degree of an adjective means.

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Style  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 1:31PM

Are we still selecting the "one best" answer to each exam question?

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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** Farewell, Jim  
**Date:** Friday, October 10, 1997 2:31PM

Come,  
Let's have one other gaudy night. Call to me  
All my sad captains. Fill our bowls once more.  
Let's mock the midnight bell.

William Shakespeare (1564-1616), English dramatist, poet. Antony, in Antony and Cleopatra, act 3, sc. 13. The poet Thom Gunn took the phrase "my sad captains" for a poem and volume of verse published 1961.

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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** RE: Sick and Vacation Time Payout memo  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 3:52PM

By this time, you will all have read, signed, and returned to Denise the October 10 memo from Human Resources.

From the perspective of someone (me, for example) who has a special fondness for the future perfect tense, the memo is a rare and beautiful document.

The crystalline verbal precision of the memo is a glorious tribute to the unsung legions of English teachers who, in the face of the recent--and horrifying--dumbing down of learning and culture, continue to insist that language be used correctly.

"We're all standing in the mud, but some of us are looking at the stars." Oscar Wilde

Three cheers for the future perfect. Long may it live!

**Robert Powell**

**From:** Denise Rempe  
**To:** Robert Powell; everyone  
**Subject:** RE: Sick and Vacation Time Payout memo  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 3:57PM

Who cares, just SHOW ME THE MONEY!!!  
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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** RE: Sick and Vacation Time Payout memo  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 3:57PM

What kind of pain pills are you taking?

(I wish I will have had some of them.)  
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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Beverly Petrini  
**To:** Denise Rempe; everyone  
**Subject:** RE: Sick and Vacation Time Payout memo  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 3:56PM

Now we know what truly motivates you!  
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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Beverly Petrini  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Sick and Vacation Time Payout memo  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 3:50PM

Bravo!  
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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Sharon Massen  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Sick and Vacation Time Payout memo  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 14, 1997 4:18PM

Now I'll have to go back and read it again. S  
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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: "Summer's murdered. . ."  
**Date:** Wednesday, October 15, 1997 3:46PM

I'm pleased you enjoyed it--and I hope you don't think me ungrateful for your indulgence--but I think you're getting more out of that poem than the poetry is due.

There are plenty examples of deliberate ambiguity and sophomoric puns, but where is the zeugma?

And I don't understand what you mean by "free-floating," "time the creator," and "rebirth."

And there's nothing surreal nor cubist about the poem--merely a sloppy attempt at shaping a deer carcass--and there's no blending there of any traditional and modern lyric poetry. The poem is sing-song and heavy handed. According to what I just read of him in the encyclopedia, my poetry is hardly fit for being associated with Apollinaire.

However--performing above the heads of his audience and risking appearing ridiculous or even failing utterly--I think the Ferlinghetti association may be right on track.

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From: Robert Powell  
To: Paul Warner  
Subject: "Summer's murdered. . ."  
Date: Wednesday, October 15, 1997 2:57PM

Very fluid and evocative.

Effective use of multi-layered, free-floating metaphor.

Natural cycles.

Effective use of zeugma.

Time the creator--things created in time and removed from time.

Time the destroyer--seasons, leaves, deer, time, poems.

Rebirth: circle in quadrants--no beginning, no end.

Guillaumeonly only .

Lawrence Ferlinghetti. ("Constantly risking absurdity. . .")

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Interesting poem. I enjoyed reading it.

Given above are some observations/thoughts/reactions that came to mind as I read the poem.

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Jeff Hoar  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** More Good-byes  
**Date:** Friday, October 17, 1997 6:31AM

It seems like hardly a week goes by without us receiving word that one of our own is moving on.

Sharon Massen has informed me that as of 10/31 she will be doing all the things she does so well for McGraw-Hill publishers (eat your heart out Dean).

I can't think of anyone during my 3+ years in product development that loves their products the way Sharon does. In fact calling what Sharon developed products is probably an insult, she cared for them as if they were alive.

So many of the course components we think of as standard, were the results of Sharon's creativity, hard work and perseverance. I don't think we will see her equal anytime soon.

Thanks for everything Sharon. If uncle Dick allows, we'll remember to buy McGraw-Hill.

Jeff



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Carl Albright  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Will ride for food  
**Date:** Monday, October 20, 1997 11:41AM

You betchal

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Carl Albright  
**Subject:** RE: Will ride for food  
**Date:** Monday, October 20, 1997 11:38AM

Will cream-filled donuts be a possibility?

If not, buster, you're out of luck.

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**From:** Carl Albright  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Will ride for food  
**Date:** Monday, October 20, 1997 9:52AM

On the morning of Wednesday, 10/29/97, Sonny has an appointment in Hershey, so Chris needs to use our vehicle for that day. However, her brother lives near the Meredith street crossroad of rt. 6. I was wondering whether you might be able to pick me up on Meredith street that morning, and to drop me off there, after work. I would be extremely grateful if you could, and I could pay my fare in donuts.



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SROBERT POWELL  
RD 1

CARBONDALE PA 18407

OCTOBER 20, 1997

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Dear Member,

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that First Priority Health has received a referral from your Primary Care Physician (PCP) for the services indicated below.

Patient Name: SROBERT POWELL  
Patient ID#: 198340586-00  
PCP: DANIEL M MCNABB

Referred To: MARIAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL  
Number of Visits: 001  
Diagnosis Code: 814.00  
Procedure Code: 93000  
Referral Date Range: 10/17/1997 Thru 12/17/1997  
Referral Number: I72900018

The procedures indicated above include the following services:

ELECTROCARDIOGRAM, ROUTINE ECG WITH AT LEAST 12 LEADS; WITH INTERPRETATION AND R

Should the specialist and/or facility recommend diagnostic testing (including x-rays, labwork, etc.) you must coordinate the care through your PCP. Failure to do so will result in your responsibility for any and all charges incurred for services of physicians and/or facilities.

**All referrals are based on medical necessity and/or benefit eligibility on the date of issue.**

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cc: RDANIEL M MCNABB  
MARIAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

HARFORD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

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"HOME OF THE HARFORD FAIR"

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Kingsley, Pennsylvania 18826

Phone: (717) 289-4405

Fax: (717) 289-4704

October 21, 1997

Dear Harford Fair Member:

The Annual Meeting of the Harford Agricultural Society will be held on Monday, November 3, 1997, at 7:30 P.M. in the Lecture Hall of the Harford Congregational Church.

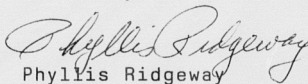
Reports of this year's Fair will be presented and election of Directors will be held. Each member of the Society is entitled to vote for Directors at this Annual Meeting. All other matters will be voted on by the twelve Directors only.

We had several days this year with intermittent rain; our entertainment was good, and there was always something going on! Perhaps you noticed something which could be improved upon, however. This is your chance to speak up. We're always ready for constructive ideas and suggestions. So come prepared.

If your address has changed from what we have in our records, please let us know so we can make the correction(s).

Thank you for your continued interest in and support of the Fair. Hope to see you on the 3rd.

Sincerely,

  
Phyllis Ridgeway  
Secretary



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Joe Rutledge  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** FW: We will rebuild him; we will make him stronger: S. Robert Powell is the bionic editor  
**Date:** Wednesday, October 22, 1997 7:51AM

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From: Paul Warner  
To: Joe Rutledge  
Cc: Sharon Massen  
Subject: We will rebuild him; we will make him stronger: S. Robert Powell is the bionic editor  
Date: Tuesday, October 21, 1997 4:11PM

Hello.

Since you are the (interim?) cruise director, I thought I should write to you so you can make your PA announcements (and begin planning for possible parties).

S. Robert Powell just phoned to say the operation was a smashing success.

Thanks to the miracles of modern medicine, his arm--once merely fractured and set in a cast--now also sports several stainless steel pins and screws and an elaborate contraption that Robert likens to a medieval torture device. (With his fondness for historical artifacts, I'm sure Robert must be very pleased with this new accessory.)

He is greatly enjoying his pills and elixirs and sounds to be in good spirits. He wishes everyone to know he is doing fine, and mentioned especially the traitor to K S and to students of long distance learning everywhere, Sharon Massen.

Please relay this information to any interested parties, and have a nice day.

**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** everyone  
**Date:** Friday, October 24, 1997 10:06AM

The flowers--and especially the kind thoughts that prompted you to send them--are very much appreciated. Thank you.

It feels great to get back to "business as usual."

Robert

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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Ginger Sosik  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Boo hoo  
**Date:** Wednesday, October 22, 1997 8:17AM

Dear Bionic Editor, aka S. Robert Powell:

I was deeply saddened to hear that you had to undergo intensive surgery to repair your arm. (You weren't getting enough sympathy in a conventional cast?)

Glad to hear that you are now on the mend. Enjoy your meds high even for a little while.

Need anything, you know where I can be found.

As always, The Ging

PS. You know now that you will forever be referred to as the Bionic Editor as a result of your cohorts mail message. The Grand Puba of Chickens just won't do anymore.

**Robert Powell**

**From:** Beverly Petrini  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Date:** Thursday, October 23, 1997 10:21AM

Good Morning!

Denise just sent a message saying that you were coming in today. Just wanted to let you know I was sorry to hear about your "operation." On the lighter side, just think how much power your will have in that arm. You can vanquish any lions, tigers or dragons that come your way. :-) Oh, what power!

Take care and I hope this will be a speedy recovery.

Bev

**Robert Powell**

**From:** Denise Rempe  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** Flowers  
**Date:** Thursday, October 23, 1997 10:21AM

Robert just phoned to say thanks for the beautiful flowers. They really cheered him up. He'll be in tomorrow and will formally thank everyone!

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Sharon Massen  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE:  
**Date:** Friday, October 24, 1997 10:24AM

Well, glad to have you return. Hope the arm heals much better this time. S

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** everyone  
**Date:** Friday, October 24, 1997 10:06AM

The flowers--and especially the kind thoughts that prompted you to send them--are very much appreciated. Thank you.

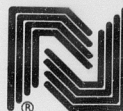
It feels great to get back to "business as usual."

Robert



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CARONDALE PA 18407

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Date of Hire: 03/27/1995

Date of Birth: 12/12/1943

Plan Entry Date: 03/27/1996

Vested Percent: 25%

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Ending Balance	\$5,589.96
Vested Balance	\$4,754.54

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National Education Corp. Stock	\$20.875	39.727	\$829.30	\$20.875	0.000	\$0.00
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S. ROBERT POWELL  
RD 1 BOX 40  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

237 020 4170 2524476

## DEPOSIT ADVICE NON-NEGOTIABLE

PERIOD ENDING: 10/26/1997	SSN: 198340586	TAX ADJ:	COMPANY: 237
PAY FREQUENCY: BI-WEEKLY	TAX STATUS: SINGLE	STATE: PA	DIVISION: 020
BASE RATE: 11.7658	EXEMPTIONS: FED:01 STATE:00	LOCAL:	DEPARTMENT: 4170

HOURS			
HOURS	REG	72.00	SICK 8.00

EARNINGS			TAXES/ DEDUCTIONS		
EARNINGS	CURRENT	Y-T-D	DEDUCTIONS	CURRENT	Y-T-D
REGULAR PAY	847.14	18,236.11	FEDERAL TAX	86.73	1,840.87
VACATION PAY		637.97	FICA TAX	57.83	1,238.97
SICK PAY	94.13	564.77	MEDICARE TAX	13.52	289.76
HOLIDAY		631.00	STATE TAX	26.36	564.65
RETRO PAY		95.11	LOCAL TAX	9.41	201.64
GROSS PAY	941.27	20,164.96	OCCUPATIONAL TAX		10.00
			HEALTH INSURANCE	8.65	181.65
			INCOME PROTECT	6.02	129.02
			LONG TERM DIS	3.67	78.64
			CHARITIES	3.77	80.75
			UNITED WAY	3.00	63.00
			401K EMPLOYEE	150.60	3,226.38
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## MONTHLY REPORT FOR October 1997

**S. Robert Powell**

In the course of the month of October 1997, my time was divided among the following projects:

1. **PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPER COURSE** (2007-20-4400-070027): SGML corrections for 102003, 102006, 102007.

2. **PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPER COURSE--Instruction Letter** (102032) 1022, 1073

3. **PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPER COURSE--Proctor Acceptance Form** (102036) 1073

4. **TREE IDENTIFICATION** (2007-20-4400-102012) 1022, 1040, 1073

5. **SHRUB IDENTIFICATION** (200720-4400-102013) 1022, 1040, 1073

6. **CDS Welcome Letter**, 1022



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**EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS**

**Responsible Party:**

POWELL, SROBERT  
RD 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

**Provider:**

MOGERMAN, JEFFREY A  
MOGERMAN ORTHOPAEDIC GROUP  
141 SALEM AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-2724

**Group Name:** ICS

**Group #:** 60227000

**Package #:** BAS945

**Patient Name:** POWELL, SROBERT

**ID Number:** 198340366-00

**Claim #:** 9728610233

**DATE PROCESSED:** 10/27/97

**DATE PRINTED:** 10/29/97

Date of Service	Diag.   Proc.   No.   Code	Description of Service	Fee   Charged	Amount Not Allowed   Allowed	Deduct.   Copay	Amount   %	Patient   Patient	HMO-M   HMO-M				
10/06/97	813.81	25605	FRAC CARE/FOREARM/WRIST	825.00	453.79	[1]	371.21	0.00	0.00	371.21		
Totals:				825.00	453.79		371.21	0.00	0.00	371.21		

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**COMMENTS**

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11/5/47

Dear Robert,

This note is to say thank you  
for all the stress you endure for  
the CPAC. Also a special Thank You  
for all of your support during my  
time as president, and for being a  
great friend.

Best Wishes,  
Spark



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TO: NATIONAL GRANGE  
Fax: 202-347-1091

Sent  
10:57AM  
11/5/97

FROM: S. Robert Powell, FAX 717-961-4871  
Secretary, Moosic Grange 1041  
Wayne County, Pennsylvania

RE: *The Glory of Cooking*

DATE: November 5, 1997

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In 1995, our grange sold a lot of copies of *The Glory of Cooking*. With the money that we raised from the sale of the cookbooks, we were able to finance important structural repairs to our grange hall and to have the exterior of the building painted.

Are copies of *The Glory of Cooking* still available for sale? If so, what is the minimum number of copies that we can purchase?

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
FAX: 717-961-4871



70 North Main Street  
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711

# EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS

Responsible Party:  
POMELL, SROBERT  
RD 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 60227000  
Package #: B43045

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198349286-00

Provider:  
MARIAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL  
100 LINCOLN AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-2100

Claim #: 364241

DATE PROCESSED: 11/07/97  
DATE PRINTED: 11/10/97

Date of Service	Diag. Proc. Code	Description of Service	Fee Charged	Amount Net Allowed (CD)	Deductible		Copay		Patient Pays		HMO-Net
					Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	
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10/21/97	813.41	259 DRUGS/OTHER	72.55	56.60 (1)	15.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.95
10/21/97	813.41	278 MED-SUR SUPPLIES	776.00	603.85 (1)	170.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	170.15
10/21/97	813.41	320 DX X-RAY	166.00	129.51 (1)	36.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	36.49
10/21/97	813.41	360 OR SERVICES	1125.00	877.69 (1)	247.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	247.31
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10/21/97	813.41	710 RECOVERY ROOM	462.00	360.44 (1)	101.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	101.56
10/21/97	813.41	730 EKG/ECG	100.00	78.02 (1)	21.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.98
10/21/97	813.41	963 PRO FEE/ANES MD	500.00	396.08 (1)	103.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	103.92
10/21/97	813.41	972 PRO FEE/RAD DX	43.00	33.55 (1)	9.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9.45
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[11-8-97  
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A.P.A. AND A.B.A  
GENERAL LICENSED JUDGE  
BART PALS  
1119 EAST STATE STREET  
MASON CITY, IOWA 50401  
(515) 424-3709

CANDIDATE FOR AMERICAN POULTRY ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

The American Poultry Association has a long and wonderful heritage, which I truly respect. But, we need to start preparing the A.P.A. for the future. We have revised and rewritten many things over the last couple of years. It is now time to *revisit* the membership and give the A.P.A. back to it's members.

Over the last several years we have received many great ideas, only some of which have been acted upon. The A.P.A. Home Page is one example of a member's idea being implemented. Since it's inception the A.P.A. home Page has had nearly twenty thousand visits. Through the Home Page we have been able to reach a whole new audience. This needs to be expanded to include A.P.A. forms and membership application. Since inviting questions, suggestions, and ideas we have received a host of outstanding proposals by the members which we need to aggressively pursue.

The A.P.A. needs to nurture it's relationship with the industry. We have started by referring all industry related e-mail to universities and industry members. In return they are referring all purebred poultry e-mails and questions to us. By doing this we work on building a relationship with the industry and universities, and are getting questions answered. Working with the poultry industry opens doors for purebred poultry that we have never before thought possible. Murray McMurray hatchery sells more A.P.A. memberships then anyone else, but until only two years ago the A.P.A. and the Nation's oldest purebred hatchery had not worked together in such a cooperative manor. The American Poultry Association has many wonderful resources available that have, as yet, been untapped.

The A.P.A. needs to be more accessible to the members. A.P.A. "*connections*" should be in place in which qualified people located in different parts of the country would set up tables at shows and would be available to the members. Directors and State/Provincial reps are available but seldom do they setup tables. These connections would be an outreach of the A.P.A. secretary's arm. We should have at least two in Canada, one on the west coast and at least one in the south.



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We need to continue to work on opening the lines of communication. We need correspondence within the A.P.A.. Including the officers, directors, State reps and, most importantly, the MEMBERS. We need to get members more actively involved in the committees and realize the importance of there input. We need to make the A.P.A. financially beneficial to it's membership. By offering a discount on publications, feed, medications, etc. it **should** become cost effective to be an A.P.A. member.

Anyone who knows me will testify to my sincerity and dedication to purebred poultry and the A.P.A.. I have worked very hard to help educate, and make educational material available to the youth and new exhibitors. I have not written hundreds of articles because I think I am a great writer nor did my wife and I develop the "From Chick to Champ" video because we think we are Stephen Spielberg. Rather, I know there is a need to offer these materials as a source of learning for the youth and new fancier.

I volunteered to do the Home Page, having absolutely no expertise in this area simply because we knew there was a need. Through the help of several individuals my knowledge has broadened and we have another resource available.

Since being elected vice president I have notice items the board has approved but have been virtually left on the table. One example is having a "questionnaire" in the A.P.A. Quarterly. This questionnaire has been used once in four years. We need to use this tool, as a way for acquiring information and ideas from the members.

I am asking you to please consider supporting me, in my bid for president, as I try to bring the American Poultry Association up to the stature it deserves. Some people say that purebred poultry is simply a backyard hobby and no one will take us serious. I say this: The USDA and poultry industries throughout the United States predict that by the year 2000 Iowa will be the number one state in poultry. In Iowa the governing agent for the poultry industry is the Iowa Poultry Association. This association has recognized the importance of purebred poultry by allotting us equal representation on the Iowa Poultry Association board. I believe that ALL of the poultry industries throughout the Nation can be shown the importance of purebred poultry through diligence and commitment.

Again, I would appreciate your support.

*Barb Pal*

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November 11, 1997

Mr. Charles Oltersdorf  
9533 West Vogel  
Peoria, AZ 85345

Dear Chuck:

I will **not** be able to take the APA exam for Bantam and Standard Chickens at the Virginia Poultry Breeders' show at Richmond on November 2-23.

The orthopedic surgeons tell me that the cast will not be off my arm this month--and the cast would make it virtually impossible for me to take the showroom test. So I will have to re-schedule the exam for sometime after the first of the year.

I appreciate your patience and understanding in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

S. Robert Powell  
R. D. 1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

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From: silasrobert  
Full-Name:  
To: APA@netins.net  
Subject: APA on the Internet  
X-Status: New

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Secretary, Karen Porr

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S. ROBERT POWELL



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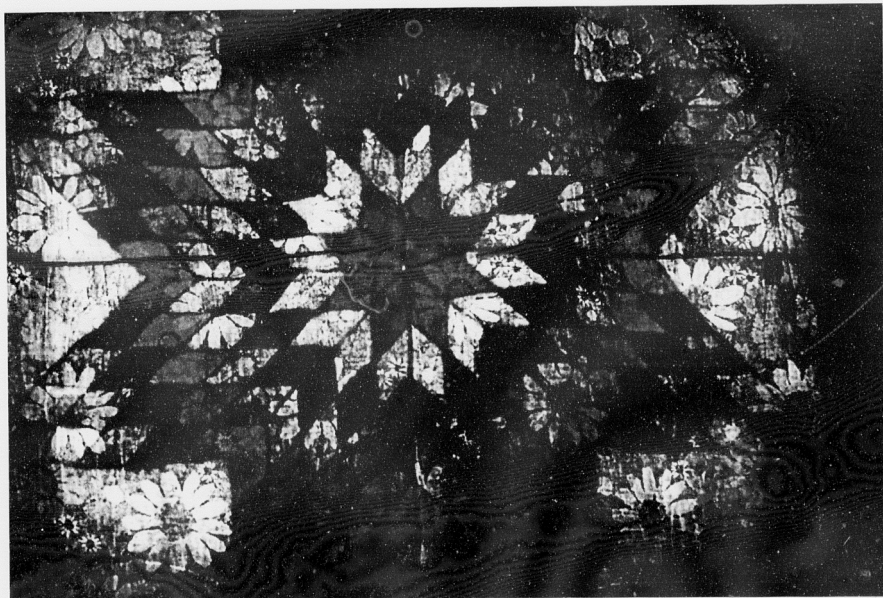
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**Robert Powell**

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From: Paul Warner  
To: Robert Powell  
Subject: How would you like a nice picture of a quilt backlit from behind?  
Date: Monday, November 10, 1997 2:15PM



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Windows  
**Date:** Monday, November 10, 1997 4:05PM

The dark or luminous hollows. (I like that.)

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From: Robert Powell  
To: Paul Warner  
Subject: Windows  
Date: Monday, November 10, 1997 3:37PM

The backlit quilt is beautiful. It reminds me of a stained-glass window.

In that regard, here is Baudelaire's prose poem "Windows" (as translated by Arthur Symons), from "The Spleen of Paris":

**WINDOWS**

He who looks in through an open window never sees so many things as he who looks out at a shut window. There is nothing more profound, more mysterious, more fertile, more gloomy, or more dazzling, than a window lighted by a candle. What we can see in the sunlight is always less interesting than what goes on behind the panes of a window. In that dark or luminous hollow, life lives, life dreams, life suffers.

Across the waves of roofs, I can see a woman of middle age, wrinkled, poor, who is always leaning over something, and who never goes out. Out of her face, out of her dress, out of her attitude, out of nothing almost, I have made up the woman's story, and sometimes I say it over to myself with tears.

If it had been a poor old man, I could have made up his just as easily.

And I go to bed, proud of having lived and suffered in others.

Perhaps you will say to me: "Are you sure that it is the real story?" What does it matter, what does any reality outside of myself matter, if has helped me to live, to feel that I am, and what I am?



Juno e-mail printed Mon, 10 Nov 1997 16:42:55 , page 1

From: bart pals <apa@netins.net>  
Return-path: <apa@netins.net>  
To: silasrobert@juno.com  
Date: Mon, 10 Nov 1997 06:51:21 -0600  
Subject: Re: APA on the Internet  
Message-ID: <199711101251.GAA09335@ins3.netins.net>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Windows Eudora Light Version 1.5.2

At 03:36 PM 11/7/97 -0500, you wrote:

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Robert; Thank you for the input. It looks, other than Lorna is our sec't.  
Honest mistake. Thanks, again.>

Bart Pals

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Juno e-mail printed Mon, 10 Nov 1997 16:43:23 , page 1

From: silasrobert  
Full-Name:  
To: mdw7@psu.edu  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Mon, 10 Nov 1997 16:41:53 -0500  
Subject: Videotapes  
Message-ID: <19971110.164153.3286.0.silasrobert@juno.com:>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.38

Today, I sent copies of the CPAC/Martha Stewart videotape to Paul Slusser and Rev. Romig. These copies I sent "With the compliments of the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club."

It seems like good politics to do so.

Received your note of 11-05-97. Thank you.  
The Lakenvellder-on-a-picket-fence card is very nice. Naturally, I have a collection of chicken post- and note-cards.

I never made it Flemington. Too much physical stress. I rested as much as I could all weekend long.

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**MOOSIC GRANGE**

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**November 10, 1997, 6:30 P.M., at the Grange Hall**

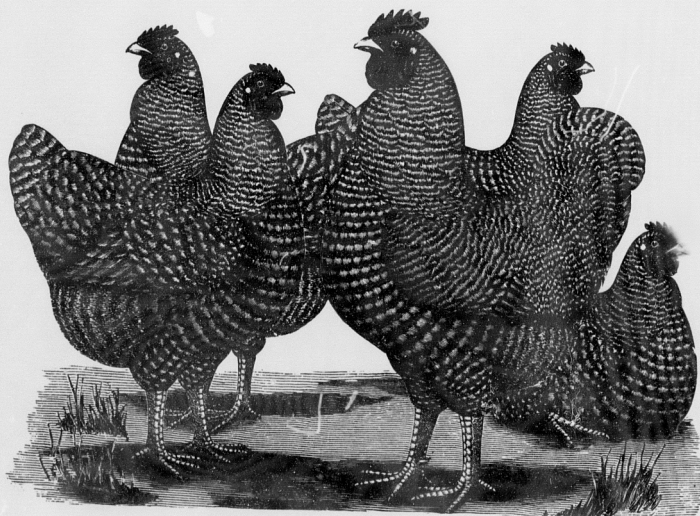
**Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish for the dinner.**

**Donald Powell will roast the turkey.**

**Ruth Pranzitelli will make mashed potatoes.**

**George Arthur will provide the coffee.**

**Robert Powell will make a pumpkin pie.**



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**November 10, 1997**

DWP and I decided to sell Mom's 1983 car (an Oldsmobile Ninety-Eight). We sold it to a girl at the Dundaff garage for \$1,000. The transfer of papers and so on took place this morning at the AAA.

Two additional hens now with chicks: Buff Minorcas, Partridge Rocks, Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, Black Orpingtons. I don't have exact counts on each breed, but I think there are probably 20 Minorcas, 6 Rocks, 2 or 3 Orpingtons, 6 Rhode Island Reds. There are about 35 additional eggs under incubation--under two setting hens and some in the incubator.

The Lavender Guinea hen that was setting in the flower border out between the inner drive and the highway was disturbed by a predator in the middle of the night. DWP heard the commotion. I went out and got the 20 eggs that she was setting on and put them in the incubator. I don't know whether or not to be optimistic about the possibility of Lavender keets. We shall see. It seems that the incubation of the eggs has just started. I candled some of the eggs and they appear to be about a week along in the process. We shall see.

I have never gotten such an early start with the hatching season as I have this year. And we're off to a good start, it seems. One must strike while the iron is hot--and the hens that I want to get fertile eggs from have started to lay. So, I have taken the steps

necessary to get fertile eggs. I will allow the birds to call the shots.

The standard White Old English Game hen that I bought at the CPAC auction in October is getting ready to lay. I put her with a "more or less standard size" B. B. Red American Game cock. I will move her back and forth between the "beautiful" Silver Duckwing American Game cock and the B. B. Red cock. The chicks could be spectacular.

#### **November 12, 1997**

First quantifiable snow fell this morning at the break of day. Ground dusted white.

I've stopped taking Vidco-din and the pain in my arm is bearable. Vicodin is a fairly heavy-duty narcotic and the side effects are unpleasant (constipation). I am just taking Advil now and things are bearable. I will see Dr. Mogerman tomorrow afternoon and I am hoping he will tell me that the pins can come out in a couple of weeks--maybe sooner. I am now able to carry light objects in my left hand, which is wonderful.

#### **November 13, 1997**

Here is the breakdown on the 31 chicks that have hatched in the past few weeks:

Buff Minorca, 15



Partridge Rock, 7

R. C. RIR, 6

Black Orpington, 3

They are under four hens in the barn. All doing very nicely. There is a BlackWyandotte bantam hen with four eggs under her at present, also the Buff Orpington hen with a dozen eggs; also about 20 chicken eggs in the incubator, and two fertile Guinea eggs. So there is lots of possibility in the air.

I will continue the hatching all winter long. As soon as this blasted contraption comes off my arm, I will winterize some of the pens inside the barn so that they will be warmer for the hens and chicks. All is well at present, but some well placed plastic would make it much more comfortable for the chicks.

About a week ago, there was a cold/virus of some sort that was affecting many of the birds. That seems to have passed with only one or two fatalities and now things seem quite robust and normal among the birds.

#### **November 14, 1997**

First winter storm. Lots of ice, not much snow. Windy. I made it to work without any difficulty thanks to my snow tires and the five cinder blocks in the

back of the truck over the rear axles.

Birds all well. As soon as I can get my left arm back under control, I will install more thorough winterization in the barn. The preliminary installation, however, is doing the job.

Saw Dr. Mogerman last night at 4:30 and the report was good. The broken bones are healing beautifully and the plans are now tentatively established to take out the pins on December 2nd--with anesthesia, thank goodness. Then there will be a small cast (below the elbow) for a couple of weeks. Good news, to be sure.

Many people not in the office today.

The cat had a grand time dashing about in the snow this morning. When I left for work, I put Mom in her wheelchair in he living room and noted that the cat was seated on the back of the couch and was looking out the window. What a precious animal he is!

#### **November 19, 1997**

When I got home from work last night, I heard chicks in the incubator in my bedroom. They took me completely by surprise. I immediately removed the turning

tray and by early evening a couple of chicks were out and about.

This morning there were six chicks out (4 Partridge Rocks and 2 Buff Minorcas or Orpingtons)—with many more on the way. Twice in the past three weeks, there have been incubator problems. Once, the power was off for six hours or so; once, the thermostat wafer went bad and the temperature was down to 78 degrees when I returned home one day. Nevertheless, the developing embryos were not hurt by the “chill down.” They are amazingly strong.

The buff chicks from the Orpington hen and Minorca cockerel are developing nicely. My plan was that they would be decent Minorcas. As it turns out, they are looking more like Orpingtons than Minorcas. Either way is fine with me, of course. It will be interesting to watch the growth patterns develop before my eyes.

Ten degrees Fahrenheit this morning and yet the temperature in the barn where the chickens are was in the thirties, which is fine. No artificial heat of any kind—just a reasonable amount of winterization in place. Almost always, during the winter, the temperature in the barn remains about 20 degrees higher than outside.

As soon as the chicks finish hatching in the incubator, I will fill it up again with about 35 more eggs.

#### **November 21, 1997**

Incubator report: 2 Black Orpingtons, 3 Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, 4 Partridge Rocks, 5 Minorca/Orpington. Put the chicks in a box in my bedroom last night, where they will remain for a week or so, and then it's up to the barn they go (into a brooder box, of course).

This weekend I will scrub out the incubator and refill it. My new area of focus: the best of the Partridge Rock pullets and the Kreuger cock that I bought at Cobleskill. That should be a wonderful cross. Several of the pullets have very nice red in the neck and good lacing. The Kreuger male has a wonderful back and head, and good red in the hackle. The pullets have more or less settled in in the breeding pen, and once they start to lay well again, there should be an abundance of eggs. I will hatch them all.

The splash/black Orpington cross is in place. The Splash pullet is laying well and the eggs should all be fertile. I am very anxious to have some Blue Orpingtons. Again, I will set every egg that the

Splash pullet lays; also every egg that my two or three Black hens lay.

I want to establish a flock of excellent standard Black Orpingtons and excellent standard Partridge Rocks—and I am just about on the point of doing so.

Things seem to have settled into a very normal and workable routine in the barn for the winter—and that is good.

#### **November 24, 1997**

The Black Wyandotte bantam hen hatched three very special chicks over the weekend: 2 Black Orpingtons and 1 Partridge Rock. The 14 chicks in the box in my bedroom are doing fine. They were joined by a Pearl Guinea keet on Sunday—one of the eggs that were under the Lavender hen out in the flower garden. One more Guinea egg should hatch today.

Put 40 more eggs in the incubator on Saturday.

#### **November 28, 1997**

The CPAC/Martha Stewart program was rebroadcast today on national television!



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## EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS

### Responsible Party:

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RD 1  
CARDONDALE, PA 18407

### Provider:

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PO BOX 8500 (S-6825)  
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19178

Group Name: ICS

Group #: 60227000

Package #: BAS945

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT

Id Number: 198340546-00

Claim #: 9732110372

DATE PROCESSED: 11/20/97

DATE PRINTED: 11/21/97

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### Responsible Party:

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### Provider:

MCHAB8,DANIEL M  
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165 FALLBROOK ST  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-3151

Group Name: ICS

Group #: 60227800

Package #: BAS945

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT

Id Number: 198346566-00

Claim #: 9731040003

DATE PROCESSED: 11/12/97

DATE PRINTED: 11/17/97

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**Robert Powell**

**From:** Paul Marinaro  
**To:** Jeff Hoar  
**Cc:** Joe Rutledge; Karl Williams; Marty Devine; Mike Pavese; Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Professional Landscaper, Tree Identification Study Guide  
**Date:** Thursday, November 13, 1997 10:12AM

Jeff,

Just want you to know that the above referenced study guide is ready for print prep. Karl, Robert and Joe did an outstanding job. It may be a model for future study guides.

I think they went the extra step in creating this one and deserve a kudo or two.

Thanks, Paul M.

SRP wrote all  
the quizzes and  
the learn and  
participated very  
actively in the  
layout.  
SRP also "salvaged"  
the "very weak"  
text that came  
from the author.



[Johnny Batson]

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11-13-97

Dear Johnny,

No, I didn't forget about  
your offer on the Plymouth  
Rock journals.

#2243 for  
135

Enclosed is my Check for  
the Partridge Rock journals  
we spoke about on the  
phone on October 17th.

Some of my best Partridge  
Rock hens are laying well  
now and I have decided  
to get going on the hatching  
season.

Best wishes for the  
holidays.

Sincerely,

Robert

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CARBONDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY

5 NORTH MAIN STREET  
CARBONDALE, PENNSYLVANIA 18407  
TELEPHONE: (717) 282-4281  
FAX: (717) 282-7031

November 15, 1997

Board of Directors  
Carbondale Public Library  
Carbondale PA 18407

Dear Board Member:

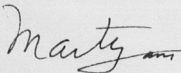
The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on  
Tuesday, November 18, at 7:30 P.M. at the library.

Reports of regular committees and special committees will be heard.

Since we do not meet in December, we should use this opportunity to tie up  
any loose ends for 1997 and prepare a "battle plan" for the new year, 1998.

The operation of the library needs your input. Your attendance will show  
your interest in and support of all library activities.

Sincerely,



Martin Langan  
President  
Carbondale Library Association

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Cachinnation  
**Date:** Friday, November 14, 1997 1:36PM

So this panda walks into a bar, sits down, and orders a sandwich. He finishes his meal, stands up, and shoots the waiter--stone dead!

The panda turns to go, but the owner of the bar rushes from the kitchen and shouts, "Hey! What are you doing?! You just shot my waiter AND you didn't pay for that sandwich!!!"

Without even breaking stride, the panda shouts back, "Hey, man! I'm a panda! Look it up!" and he disappears through the door.

The owner frantically leafs through his dictionary and finds the following enlightening definition:

PANDA a large black-and-white mammal of chiefly central China. Eats shoots and leaves.



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Johann  
**Date:** Friday, November 14, 1997 2:26PM

"Twas brillig  
and the slithy toves  
did gyre and gimble  
in the wabe"

Lewis Carroll

You're right about this CD. (It's better than vitamin C.) It plays like a wizened old watchmaker sprightly whistling as he crafts an engineering marvel within two inches of space.

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Piracy in the Air  
**Date:** Friday, November 14, 1997 4:25PM

Many thanks!

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From: Robert Powell  
To: Paul Warner  
Subject: RE: Piracy in the Air  
Date: Friday, November 14, 1997 4:24PM

Yes, you may borrow it.

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From: Paul Warner  
To: Robert Powell  
Subject: Piracy in the Air  
Date: Friday, November 14, 1997 3:49PM

Do you mind if I "borrow" this CD over the weekend? I want my tape deck to listen to it.

[Anson + Marie Tiffany]

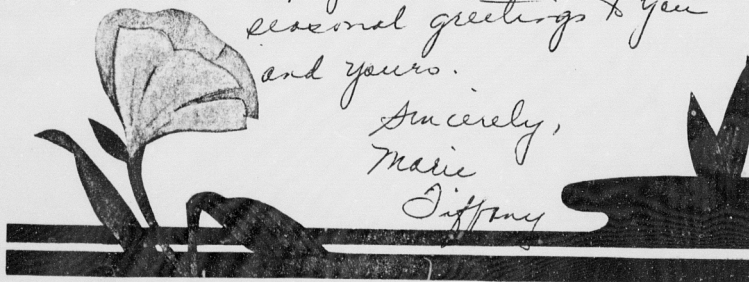
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Dear Robert,

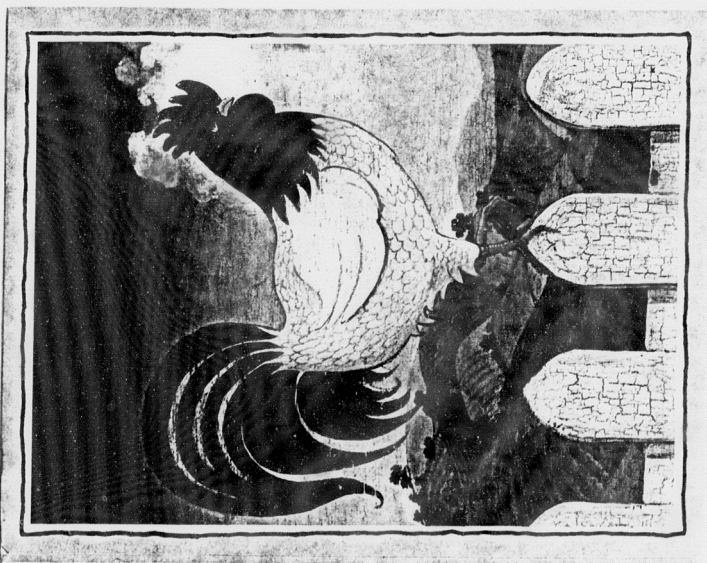
Hope your arm is mending  
and all is well at your place.  
Really enjoyed the "wool gathering"  
where did you find it? Snow,  
but we had a beautiful extended  
autumn. Remember us to your  
mother & brother. Thanks so  
much for helping reduce  
Anson's flock. He joins me  
in wishing you health for  
the coming year and  
seasonal greetings to you  
and yours.

Sincerely,  
Marie  
Tiffany





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LEANIN' TREE

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Music  
**Date:** Monday, November 17, 1997 10:01AM

Hi.

I didn't get a tape to record that CD I borrowed. Is it all right if I return it tomorrow?

Hi there!



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Thanks so much  
for sending the video  
tape. When I see you  
next time at a show  
you'll be as good as  
new. Meantime take  
care and happy holidays.  
Janet

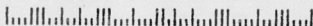
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Janet Heida  
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Robert Powell  
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# Opinion

## Editorials

### Time to end stalling on public libraries

**Pennsylvania spends \$14 on libraries for each resident, a rate \$6 below the national average and \$20 below New York, the national leader.**

**T**he answer to the question of what is ailing Pennsylvania's public libraries is not in the mystery section or buried among forgotten documents in a musty corner of some old repository. No, the answer is well-documented and widely acknowledged: **THEY NEED MORE MONEY.**

Yet, some state legislators cynically are using the funding crisis as a means to limit local control of public libraries, open the door to broader censorship of library materials and grant broad control to a politically appointed statewide commission.

These legislators are the same people who are responsible for providing one of the lowest levels of state funding for libraries in the entire nation, less than any state other than West Virginia, while progressive states on our borders, New York and Ohio, provide more than twice as much funding for their libraries.

Rather than blushing and moving quickly to rectify the situation, legislators led by Republican Rep. Ted Stevenson of Allegheny County are conducting hearings on a bill that would make relinquished community control of public libraries the price for modest funding increases.

Public libraries now are certified by the Department of Education. Stevenson's bill would establish a statewide commission that would license individual librarians and play a role in hiring and firing — a sure formula for political chicanery. Such a system could open the door to censorship. A politically appointed board would be responsive to the whims of politicians, who in turn are responsive to narrow-interest groups that seek to dictate the content of books, films and other materials. During the hearings, professional librarians have raised other technical problems with the proposal, including that it fails to distinguish between academic and public libraries.

Pennsylvania spends \$14 on libraries for each resident, a rate \$6 below the national average and \$20 below New York, the national leader.

The answer to better public libraries is higher state and local funding. Another bill would provide it by making state funds available primarily where local matching funds are raised, as through the Lackawanna County library tax.

Legislators should forget about adding an extra layer of bureaucracy and move from study to remedial action.

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November 21, 1997

143-0032

Ms. Susan Howard  
HCR Box 26  
Selinsgrove, PA 17870

Dear Ms. Howard:

Dave Bailey phoned me yesterday about your check for the birds you sold at the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club's auction in October 1997.

The usual practice followed by the club is to make all payments for birds sold at the conclusion of the sale. Perhaps in the future this procedure will have to be posted on a sign in the auction hall—and announced by the auctioneer—so that confusion about payment does not arise? I'm sorry that this procedure was not clear.

At any rate, there will not be a problem with your payment. I will send a copy of this letter to the auction secretary and club treasurer. They will examine the records and forward to you a check for the birds that you sold.

We appreciate your consigning birds to our auction and hope that you will join us for all future club auctions.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
R. D. 1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407

cc: Dave Bailey  
Briget Kane  
Mark Burns

11/24/97

Dear Mr. Decker,

Thank you for  
sending my  
mother a tape  
of the Cenoville  
band.

Your thoughtfulness

[Roland Decker]

and generosity  
are much  
appreciated.

The tape will  
give her many  
hours of pleasure  
I'm sure.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell



## DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL COMPANY OFFICE BUILDING

The Delaware and Hudson Canal Company's Gravity Railroad, from Carbondale to Honesdale, was opened on October 9, 1829. The rail line, designed by John B. Jervis, was constructed to carry coal from the mines at Carbondale and elsewhere in the Lackawanna Valley to the D&H's canal in Honesdale, and from there to market. Passenger service was inaugurated over the line on April 5, 1877. With various rebuildings, the gravity line survived until 1898, when it was replaced with a steam locomotive line, known as the Honesdale Branch of the D&H. The steam line, with 19 stations, was opened on January 3, 1899, and operated until August 20, 1931.

The offices of the D&H were housed in two buildings on North Main Street. One of those buildings now houses the Ben-Mar Restaurant. The original wooden buildings that housed the Gravity Shops, erected in 1832, were located behind the D&H office buildings. In 1858, a 14,000-square-foot stone building was erected on the same site to house the Gravity Shops. That stone building, no longer extant, was later listed in the National Register of Historic Places.

In 1872, the D&H established a railyard on the west side of Carbondale. The yard, consisting of over 100 acres to the north of the Dundaff Street crossing, was enlarged in 1888, and served as a marshaling area where coal trains were made up from the coal shipped from various mines and breakers throughout the Lackawanna Valley. A 40-stall roundhouse once stood in the D&H yard in Carbondale.

## FIRST UNDERGROUND MINE

The first underground anthracite mine in America was opened in Carbondale in 1831. The entrance to the mine was along Seventh Avenue, just west of the Delaware and Hudson's tracks (on the west side of the tracks, across from present-day Dale and Dave's, between the entrance to the present-day Hendrick Manufacturing Company and the tracks). In 1901, on the occasion of the city's fiftieth anniversary as an incorporated city, a monument was erected on the site of the original mine. During the West Side Minefire Reclamation Project, the monument was moved from its original location to its present location on the lawn of the Columbia Hose Company, Main Street. In 1859, the first anthracite coal breaker in America, the Racket Brook Breaker, was erected by the D&H Canal Company on the mountain above the city of Carbondale.

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## **CARBONDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

The Carbondale Public Library was established on March 9, 1874, when an enterprising group of 16 young men met and decided to establish a library in the city of Carbondale. The Young Men's Library Association, chartered on January 26, 1875 and now known as the Carbondale Public Library, is the oldest public library in Lackawanna County. At the time of its formation, the library was housed in a room provided by the Carbondale Dickens Literary Association. On March 2, 1896, the library moved into Carbondale City Hall, and was housed in a room on the ground floor, fronting on Main Street; in 1965, the library moved to the former Bell Telephone Company on Sixth Avenue. The present library building was opened to the public on October 28, 1996.





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# EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS

Responsible Party:  
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PO 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 16407

Provider:  
MARIAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL  
308 LINCOLN AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 16407  
(717) 282-2100

Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 60227800  
Package #: BAS045

Claim #: 369948

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198340586-00

DATE PROCESSED: 10/17/97  
DATE PRINTED: 10/20/97

Date of Service	Diag. Service	Proc. No.	Code	Description of Service	Fee Charged	Amount Not Allowed (COP)	Allowed Fee	Product. Amount	Copay %	Copay Amount	Patient Pays	HMO-M Resp.
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10/06/97	813.41	320		DX X-RAY	116.00	74.77 (11)	41.23	0.00		0.00	0.00	41.23
10/06/97	813.41	972		PHO FEE/RAD DX	43.00	27.71 (11)	15.29	0.00		0.00	0.00	15.29
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Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 60227000  
Package #: BAS045

Claim #: 368293

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198340586-00

DATE PROCESSED: 10/16/97  
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10/05/97	813.42	250	PHARMACY	3.60	2.32 (1)	1.28	0.00	0.00		1.28	1.28	0.00
10/05/97	813.42	270	MED-SUR SUPPLIES	42.00	27.02 (1)	14.98	0.00	0.00		1.24	1.24	13.74
10/05/97	813.42	270	MED-SUR SUPPLIES	3.00	1.95 (1)	1.07	0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00	1.07
10/05/97	813.42	320	DX X-RAY	116.00	74.62 (1)	41.38	0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00	41.38
10/05/97	813.42	972	PRO FEE/RAD DX	43.00	27.66 (1)	15.34	0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00	15.34
10/05/97	813.42	981	PRO FEE/ER	105.00	67.53 (1)	37.47	0.00	0.00		0.00	0.00	37.47
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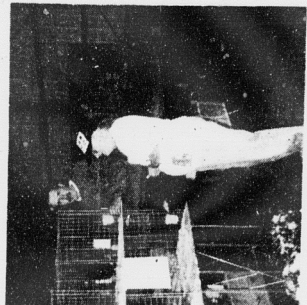
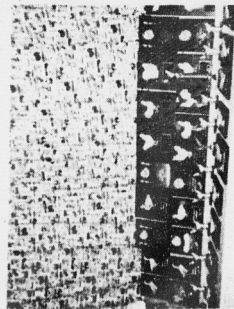
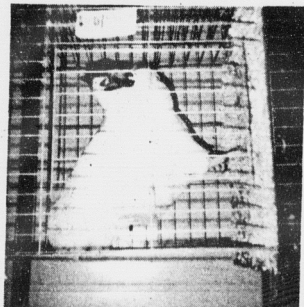
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M Thurs HAS AN APPOINTMENT ON Nov. 13  
DAY MONTH DATE  
AT 4:30 P.M.  
IF UNABLE TO KEEP APPOINTMENT KINDLY GIVE 24 HOURS NOTICE.





**TWIN TIER POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) SUPER GRAND CHAMPION OF THE SHOW, A WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCK COCKEREL BY TWIN CEDAR FARM (2) SOME OF THE AWARDS AT THE SHOW (3) S. ROBERT**

**POWELL AND THOLA WALDAU HAVING A CONVERSATION (4) MARIETTA AND DAN SCHUTH (TWIN TIER POULTRY ASSOCIATION PHOTOS)**

## TWIN TIER POULTRY CLUB By Robert Whitney

On Sunday, September 7, 1997, we held our 15th annual show at the Steuben County Fairgrounds in Bath, New York. We had 98 exhibitors who entered 907 birds. Judging this year was done by the Canadian connection - Ralph Beamer, Gerald Donnelly and Paul Monteith. Our club gave out over \$1,200.00 in cash and plaques at this year's show, sending many home happy. The top winner was Twin Cedar Farm who had the Super Champion of Show with a White Rock

cockerel Large Fowl. This bird had won Champion Large Fowl and a White Wyandotte pullet also shown by Twin Cedar Farm was Reserve Champion Large Fowl. Bantam honors went to Art Lundgren, who had a Black East Indie hen as Champion, Reserve went to a Blue Old English Game hen exhibited by Ben Bersinger. Waterfowl Champion was the East Indie Hen, Reserve was a Gray Call Hen also shown by Art. We had 167 Featherlegs of which 101 were Cochins, Old English Games were our next most popular with 125 showing. The Bantam Duck class as always had good numbers with 131 total showing. Our Junior Show, which continues to grow, had many outstanding birds and kids.

Winners were Laura Adam - Durgin who had Champion Large Fowl on an Australorp pullet, Reserve Large Fowl was a Buff Laced Polish pullet shown by Russell Maynard. Champion and Reserve Champion Bantam went to Danielle Yobst with her Black Cochin cockerel and White Japanese hen. A Khaki Campbell young drake shown by Shawn Sorrells was Champion Waterfowl with Russell Maynard winning Reserve with a Gray Call young drake.

Alice Lee set up our showmanship contest again this year giving out T-shirts, ribbons and money. Jamie Matts did the testing of this year's group. Winners in the Senior Division: Seth Harris, Sarah Lee and Rusty Sandhu.

Junior Division was headed up by Shawn Sorrells, Trevor Sorrells and Kerri Clarkson. Charles Maynard won the Novice Division with Russell Maynard and Ashley Maloy placing a close second and third. Josh Hurd had the winning ticket drawn by Beth Adams, our APA-ABA youth director. He won a pair of Black Old English Game Bantams donated by Alice Lee. Thanks Alice and Jamie for your help. Also, I want to thank Amanda Clarkson, Laura Adams - Durgin and the Honorable Rick Hare for doing a great job clerking.

The TTPEC hopes that our exhibitors, judges and guest enjoyed themselves and they will come back next year to what we hope will be the best show yet.

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[Kathryn Race]

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11/21/97

Dear Kathryn,

Thank you for coordinating  
this important restoration  
project.

Maybe when the project is  
completed, we should have  
a photograph taken of the  
Board seated at the  
restored table?

Sincerely,

Robert

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From: MLWINTER@aol.com  
Return-path: <MLWINTER@aol.com>  
To: silasrobert@juno.com  
Date: Sat, 22 Nov 1997 15:23:53 -0500 (EST)  
Subject: Re: I'm a re-run!  
Message-ID: <971122152353\_2072337065@mrin45.mail.aol.com>  
X-Status: Read

My Dear!!!!!! I am just overwhelmed to learn that you will once again be touched by fame. Didn't Andy Warhol say that everyone has 15 minutes of fame? Not you, you're to have a yet another half hour. Seems to me you are four times better than old Andy ever dreamed of being. And you're still so young. Who can imagine what the future will hold?

I will try to get a tape of the program - and I will notify my beloved sister who was tres depressed to find that she had missed your first appearance. Perhaps she will tape it for us (assuming someone can teach her how to program her VCR. Somehow I fear that's beyond her.) Come to think of it, her sons are to be home that weekend so that problem should be solved.

I'm sick and tired of rainy gloomy weekends. I know it's not supposed to matter to those of us enjoying our golden years but it does!

See you next Thursday.



Eileen Welch  
a Griswold

Sept 25, 1997  
2737 E. 21st St.  
Tucson, AZ 85716

Dear Robert,

(We) were traveling around in the Midwest again this summer but timing wasn't right to make the Griswold Reunion. Dog Agility Nationals were in Cleveland OH the 2nd week in July so had to make that with Ray and Meghan, our dog.

Then attended the Nordic Fest in Decorah IA (which was wonderful!!) the end of July. In  $\frac{1}{2}$  Norwegian so doing genealogical research along the Budos + Petersen lines. Lot of family in WI + Budos family reunion which I had never attended was the 2nd Sunday in August near Viroqua, WI.

We didn't get back to Tucson until Sept 10 + been busy since trying to catch up with all sorts of things.

Imagine our surprise when we watched PBS last week - we saw a familiar person showing chicken at a FA fair! Ray said, "I know that guy! Right, it's Bob Powell." Certainly didn't know you were an expert on chickens. Anyway it was a very interesting show with some highly unusual chickens. Martha Stewart really has a hand in everything. Now in related to a TV star also. You did a good job!!

11/21/97

Dear Eileen,

Thank you for your card  
of 9/25/97. Sounds like

You had a grand  
Summer.

Thanks also for the  
enjoyed  
1 donation and the  
genealogical update.

I'm glad you  
enjoyed the  
Martha Stewart poetry

broadcast. It  
was a wonderful  
experience.

Best wishes for  
a wonderful  
holiday season.

Sincerely,  
S. Robert Powell

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Marie McTague  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Publishers' Clearinghouse  
**Date:** Monday, November 24, 1997 4:13PM

Wow, Robert, I don't think I've ever actually met a rerun before. I'll have to remember to shake your hand when I see you. (Not to mention slip my check from your wallet.)

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Marie McTague  
**Subject:** RE: Publishers' Clearinghouse  
**Date:** Monday, November 24, 1997 3:18PM

Speaking of Martha. On Friday afternoon, around 4 P.M., when my brain died and I could do no more on "Professional Landscaper," I waltzed about on the web for a while and checked out the upcoming programs on Martha Stewart Living television. TO MY IMMENSE PLEASURE AND SURPRISE, I discovered that the Martha Stewart--Robert Powell--poultry program will be rebroadcast on the day following Thanksgiving. All of America (except those fools who have gone Christmas shopping on that day) will be lounging about in front of their tubes, trying to recover from having over-indulged on the preceding day. Enter Martha and "little ol' me." So, I'm to be a re-run!

If I'm not in the office on the Monday following Thanksgiving, then, it's because I have "withdrawn" to an Alp, where I will receive residuals happily everafter.

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**From:** Marie McTague  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Publishers' Clearinghouse  
**Date:** Monday, November 24, 1997 2:53PM

Um... did you forget the part where you quit your job and live happily ever after with Martha in the South of France?

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Marie McTague  
**Subject:** RE: Publishers' Clearinghouse  
**Date:** Monday, November 24, 1997 2:46PM

I did.

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**From:** Marie McTague  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Publishers' Clearinghouse  
**Date:** Monday, November 24, 1997 2:13PM

Robert:

You should have impersonated me and made off with the check.

(That was cute, though.)

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From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: Paul-Warner-ICS@Juno.com  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Mon, 24 Nov 1997 10:11:09 -0500  
Subject: New email address  
Message-ID: <19971124.101109.3582.8.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

Because of a great many problems that developed in my old Juno account, I deleted the whole thing, re-installed Juno, and changed my address. I hope that I have been able to sidestep the problems that emerged (probably because of something stupid that I did) in my old account.

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From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: wweinstein@aol.com  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Mon, 24 Nov 1997 10:00:13 -0500  
Subject: New email address  
Message-ID: <19971124.101109.3582.5.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

Please note new address.

On October 5th, I broke both bones in my lower left arm. The past two months have been difficult. A week from tomorrow the pins come out. I can hardly wait.

Hope you are well.

Happy Thanksgiving.

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From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: mdw@psu.edu  
Cc: Sent  
Date: Mon, 24 Nov 1997 09:56:27 -0500  
Subject: New email address  
Message-ID: <19971124.101109.3582.3.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

Please note new email address.

I forgot to ask you last night the names of the big winners at Richmond?



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From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: JJJCarter@aol.com  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Mon, 24 Nov 1997 09:57:54 -0500  
Subject: New email address  
Message-ID: <19971124.101109.3582.4.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

Please note new email address.

Also, the Martha Stewart/Robert Powell thing will be re-broadcast on the day after Thanksgiving.

I'm now a re-run. I love it.

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From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: mlwinter@aol.com  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Tue, 25 Nov 1997 08:38:51 -0500  
Subject: Communications breakthrough  
Message-ID: <19971125.084423.3390.0.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

Three cheers for my computer skills. Unaided, I was able to delete the former email program on my machine and install the new one. I'm not exactly at the point where I should think about advertizing myself as a computer consultant, but a small pat on the back might be appropriate.

When you phoned last night, things were quite "normal" (whatever that means). Donald's newest target appears to be telephone marketers. It must have been his attack mode upon answering the phone that you sensed in his voice.

Thursday's turkey is now thawing out (in dish pan under running water in the sink). DWP II arrives tonight, and tomorrow night he and I will make a couple of pumpkin pies. See you on Thursday. Come out as early as you like, but not before 8 A.M.

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Ginger Sosik  
**Subject:** RE:  
**Date:** Wednesday, November 26, 1997 8:24AM

Merci beaucoup.

Yes, Thanksgiving is my favorite as well. To celebrate the holiday, I will arrange a special one-day Thanksgiving display on top of my bookcase at 10 A.M.

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**From:** Ginger Sosik  
**To:** everyone  
**Date:** Wednesday, November 26, 1997 8:09AM  
**Priority:** High

To celebrate my favorite holiday, Thanksgiving, we have

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in the usual place. Enjoy and Happy Thanksgiving.



Martha's sister Laura Plimpton makes this decadent dessert using caramel, chocolate, and freshly roasted walnuts.

MONDAY

24 **COOKING: BLACK-LACQUERED TURKEY WITH JANE**

Martha's friend Jane Heller visits and shares her favorite Thanksgiving recipes, including black-lacquered turkey. Her special technique yields a turkey with a shiny jet-black skin, that when removed, reveals the most deliciously tender meat.

**TOOL OF THE WEEK: TURKEY BASTER**

Most kitchens have a turkey baster floating around a drawer. Do you know how to use yours?

TUESDAY

25 **COOKING: SWEET POTATO SPOON BREAD**

Martha first tried this delicious sweet potato-cornmeal pudding at the Elms, a restaurant in Ridgefield, Connecticut.

**COOKING: CORN PUDDING**

Make this delicate custard with fresh ears of corn.

**GOOD THING: HARVEST CENTERPIECE**

Use a hollowed-out pumpkin as a vase to hold an arrangement of seasonal blooms.

**COOKING: CRANBERRY SAUCE WITH JANE**

Jane Heller, Martha's friend, makes her famous cranberry sauce with a hint of orange.

**COOKING: ACORN SQUASH WITH JANE**

Add roasted acorn squash, simple and satisfying, to your Thanksgiving menu.

WEDNESDAY

TODAY

26 **PROJECT: NAPKIN FOLDING WITH STEPHEN**

Style director Stephen Earle folds napkins with festive panache.

**PROJECT: SETTING THE THANKSGIVING TABLE WITH STEPHEN**

Martha and style director Stephen Earle set an exquisite Thanksgiving table.

**CAKE OF THE MONTH: CHOCOLATE SOUFFLÉ**

Despite its dark reputation, chocolate soufflé couldn't be easier to make.

THURSDAY

TOMORROW

27 **COOKING: TURKEY 101**

Follow this recipe and you will roast turkeys to perfection every time.

**COOKING: DEEP FRIED TURKEY WITH RENA**

Chef Rena Prentis demonstrates how to make this unusual Southern specialty.

**COOKING: HOW TO CARVE 101**

Discover the secret to carving turkey.

FRIDAY

DETAILED SEGMENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONE DAY BEFORE SHOW AIRS

→ 28 **FIELD TRIP: CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB**

Visit an exciting exhibition of poultry, pigeons, and game birds. At the event, which includes a lively auction, Martha Stewart chooses the event's most beautiful bird.

**GOOD THING: FOLDING SHELF**

Take inspiration from the Murphy-bed principle by building a folding shelf on a wall near your barbecue.

WEEKEND

29-30 **COOKIE OF THE WEEK: ALEXIS'S BROWN-SUGAR CHOCOLATE-CHIP COOKIES**

Enjoy these crunchy chocolate-chip cookies, a special family recipe, with a tall glass of milk.

**COOKIE OF THE WEEK: FALL-LEAF TUILE COOKIES**

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NOVEMBER FRIDAY

## 28 FIELD TRIP: CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB

Twice a year, the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club sponsors a two-day exhibition of poultry, pigeons, and game birds. The event, which includes a lively auction, is designed to promote both ornamental fowl and utility birds (which are bred for meat and eggs).

Martha Stewart, an avid collector of rare poultry breeds, visits the event to pick the "Most Beautiful Bird" of the show from more than 2000 entries. John Batson, one of the event's lead judges, shows Martha how to evaluate competition fowl.

Keeping chickens can be a educational and productive project for the whole family. Tending a coop teaches children the basics of animal husbandry while it lets them enjoy the sometimes silly behavior of a brood of hens. Martha Stewart and poultry expert Clell Agler discuss the delights of raising beautiful ornamental chickens like the Silky, and champion egg-layers like New

### SOURCES

Special thanks to Robert Powell, Secretary; John Batson, APA/ABA licensed poultry judge; and Clell Agler, exhibitor, Central Pennsylvania Avian Club.

Chicken Poster (24"x36") available through Martha By Mail, \$18.

For a list of upcoming avian events around the United States, contact the American Poultry Association, 133 Millville Street, Mendon, MA 01756.

Hampshire Bantams and Orpingtons. She is especially fond of Araucanas and Americaunas for their marvelous blue- and green-shaded eggs. Chickens provide ample help to the home gardener by eating unwanted insects and weeds while fertilizing the soil.

Established in 1974, the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club promotes all species of exhibition poultry, pigeons, game and cage birds. The next show takes place October 18-19, 1997 in Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania.



## MONTHLY REPORT FOR November 1997

### S. Robert Powell

In the course of the month of November 1997, my time was divided among the following projects:

1. **PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPER COURSE** (2007-20-4400-070027): 1050, 1018
2. **TREE IDENTIFICATION** (2007-20-4400-102012) 1018
3. **SHRUB IDENTIFICATION** (200720-4400-102013) 1018
4. **BECOMING A PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPER** (2007-20-4400-102002): 1050, 1073, 1075
5. **PROJECT BOOKLET: TOOLS** (2007-20-4400-102802): 1040
6. **TURFGRASS MANAGEMENT** (2007-20-4400-102018): 1050, 1018
7. **GROUND COVERS** (2007-20-4400-102014): 1050, 1018
8. **PEST MANAGEMENT** (2007-20-4400-102006): 1050, 1018
9. **BEAUTY SALON MANAGER--SELLING IN THE SALON** (2007-20-4400-15005): 1073
10. **BEAUTY SALON MANAGER--BECOMING A FINANCIALLY SOLVENT SALON** (2007-20-4400-15006): 1073

when, there, from out of the blue, Martha Stewart and S. Robert appeared before them. Patti reported this event to me today.

#### **December 2, 1997**

Marian Community Hospital. Peg dropped me off at 8 A.M. Another trip into the operating room. Dr. Mogerman removed the pins and the external fixator from my left arm. The experience was very pleasant in every respect.

#### **December 3, 1997**

Back to work at ICS. I now have a cast on the arm from the wrist to just below the elbow. The bones are all repaired and doing well. This cast is a protective and reinforcing device. It will be on for at least 10 days. Slept very last night. First time in weeks and weeks—largely because the four pins were removed from my bones. The four pins—see the X-ray that I have—were like four gigantic slivers in my arm that I had to deal with for the past six weeks. Now they are gone.

#### **December 1, 1997**

One of my co-workers, Patti Santarsiero, was in Texas over the Thanksgiving holiday and she was flipping channels on the television

#### **December 3, 1997**

Annual meeting and Christmas Dinner of the Carbondale Historical Society at Pettinato's Restaurant at 6 P.M. DWP, SRP, HLRP all went. The

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event was a grand success. There were 55 of us. We presented historical preservation awards to the Wallis Building, the Pugliano Building, and Heritage-House-on-the-Park. The owners of the three buildings and friends were present. They all LOVED the awards and were VERY VERY PLEASED to have been recognized for their restorations. The idea of presenting the plaques was Joe Pascoe's—and an excellent idea it was. We'll do it every year.

We also had Jane Varcoe and Barbara Holmes from the Waymart Historical Society and Joe Bryer from the Genealogical Research Society of Northeastern Pennsylvania—all three of whom made remarks to the assembled guests.

The evening went beautifully. It was very touching to see Mom sing along with the Christmas carols that we sang as a group after dinner. There are days when she is not sure of the day of the week or even how old she is or where she is—and yet, Christmas carols "hit home" directly. It was very touching to see her enjoy herself, have a good time. As we all get older and older, our worlds become smaller and smaller. Music seems to be able to penetrate even the smallest of the

private worlds that some of us live in.

#### **December 5, 1997**


Joseph Henning (282-1199) from Carbondale went over the bank on the Whitmore Road, across from the entrance to the new house on land that used to belong to us—the McCale pasture.

He came into the house on Saturday and told me what he had done and volunteered to pay any damages. He only knocked down the wire on a post or two and said that he re-positioned the wire "so that your cows don't get out." He seems to be a good guy. Knows the Lynches, knows my nephew William. Said that he would help do a proper repair to the fence come Spring.

I told him (in response to his question to me about my wanting to file an insurance claim) that I was not interested in filing a claim. He seems to be a good guy, with the right kind of approach to the world.



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**HOLIDAY GREETINGS**  
*from*  
**THE CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY**  
**ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER MEETING**  
*Wednesday, December 3, 1997, 6:00 P.M.*  
*Pettinato's Restaurant*  
*78 Dundaff Street*  
*Carbondale, PA 18407*

*Wednesday, December 3, 1997, 6:00 P.M.*

**Pettinato's Restaurant**  
78 Dundaff Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407

*Dinner Price \$15.00 Per Person. All dinners include antipasto, penna pasta, an intermezzo, rolls, desert, beverage.*

Entrée Choices: 2 Baked Ham  
                     Veal Parmigiana

*Reservations due by November 26<sup>th</sup> to Joe Pascoe 282-4234, 36 Hospital Street, Carbondale, PA 18407*

Address: Helen Powell

Choice: Baked Ham 2 Veal Parmigiana \_\_\_\_\_

Please reserve 2 places at the 1997 Christmas Dinner and Annual Meeting. Payment is enclosed.

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## ROCHESTER'S

### BEST SHOW

By Dan Schuth

I'm not kidding when I say this was the best show I've ever been at. The weather was great on October 4 for the Youth Show and also on the 5th for the open show. For the Open Show on Sunday, we hosted 127 exhibitors with 1,027 birds. It is also estimated that 3,000 visitors to the Genesee Country Museum passed through the show.

The Youth Show, on Saturday, hosted 46 exhibitors, showing 237 birds. Rick Hare did a great job judging all the classes and keeping on a good schedule. Champion Large Fowl went to Laura Adams-Durgin with a Black Australorp, while Trevor Sorrels took Reserve with a Brown Leghorn. Robert Champion's White Leghorn won Champion Bantam with Emily Zaepfeli's White Call taking Reserve. Emily's White Call was also Champion Waterfowl, while Sarah Weinheimer took Reserve with a Gray Call. The best production bird was Joe

Clark's Rhode Island Red with an Australorp by Robert Maynard taking Reserve. JoAnne Lesswing and her team did a great job pulling this show together for all the youth. Other events on the youth agenda included a crowing contest, sack races, and egg toss relay and a sleepover at the museum.

The show was set up beautifully for both days. All coop stands and bases were covered with paper skirting, while huge pots of yellow mums were placed at the ends of each row and at the doors. Duff Wehle's displays attracted a lot of interest. The effort of work and quality was evident by the crowds studying them.

As a note to other clubs: check out the photographs showing our new club banners. These really add a nice touch to the show. Add something like this to your show and I guarantee you'll get compliments.

Our judges for the Open show on Sunday were Don Krahe, Bob Steiner, and Wilbur Stauffer. Don Rogers judged the wild waterfowl and pheasants. Excellent job, gentlemen. Champion Large Fowl went to Art Lundgren with

a Light Brahma Pullet, while Bob Powell took Reserve with a Partridge Rock Pullet. Gary Overton had Champion APA and ABA Bantam with a Speckled Sussex Pullet while Art Lundgren took ABA Reserve on a White Call Hen and APA Reserve on a White Wyandotte Cockerel. Art's White Call also was Champion Waterfowl with Reserve Going to Darrel Sheraw on a Rouen Hen. Grand Champion Pheasant went to Joe Clark with a Lady Amherst Cock. Walter Thoms had Grand Champion Wild Duck with a Mandarin Cock and Dan Porter took Grand Champion Wild Goose on a Blue Cock.

A major factor contributing to a great show is the exhibitors and we had the greatest, from six states and Canada. Among the exhibitors traveling the furthest were Gary and Audrey Overton from Ohio (almost Indiana), Dave Beitel from Rhode Island, Kay St Amour from Maryland, and Bob Wightman from North Carolina.

We appreciate the time and effort put in by all those who attended our 90th Anniversary show and hope that the commemorative mugs

awarded to best of breeds will remind you to come back next year to "show a few at Rochester".

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From: bart pals <apa@netins.net>  
Return-path: <apa@netins.net>  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com (S. R. Powell)  
Date: Wed, 3 Dec 1997 15:58:50 -0600 (CST)  
Subject: Re: APA election  
Message-ID: <199712032158.PAA29863@ins8.netins.net>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Windows Eudora Light Version 1.5.2

At 10:36 AM 12/3/97 -0500, you wrote:

>I have written two different form letters and mailed them to 58 APA  
>members who I know reasonably well and told them that I am going to vote  
>for you in the upcoming APA election and urged them to also vote for  
you.

>I enclosed in each of those letters a copy of the 2-page statement that  
>you sent me about yourself.

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>I will mail to you today, by surface mail, copies of both of those form  
>letters, together with a list of the recipients of each.

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>About a month ago, I got a phone call from Iowa from another Bart Pals  
>supporter. At the time of the call, I wrote down the guy's name and  
>address, but I can't seem to locate that piece of paper at the moment.

By

>any chance, would you know who that was? I'd like to contact him by mail  
>and discuss the campaign to get Bart Pals elected president of the APA.

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>I was very pleased to see all the vote-for-Bart-Pals publicity in the  
>December 1997 issue of POULTRY PRESS.

>

S.Robert; THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!! I truly appreciate it.

I

found it completely humbling to see all of those ads in the P.Press. I  
never

expected to see such a show of support. The guy from Iowa was probably  
Dennis Thompson. His phone number is:

(515)963-0410

Again, thank you for your help.

Bart>





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SROBERT POWELL  
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CARBONDALE PA 18407

DECEMBER 05, 1997



Dear Member,

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that First Priority Health has received a referral from your Primary Care Physician (PCP) for the services indicated below.

Patient Name: SROBERT POWELL  
Patient ID#: 198340586-00  
PCP: DANIEL M MCNABB

Referred To: MOGERMAN ORTHOPAEDIC GROUP  
Number of Visits: 002  
Diagnosis Code: V54.8  
Procedure Code: ZZ994  
Referral Date Range: 12/03/1997 Thru 06/03/1998  
Referral Number: I73374644

The procedures indicated above include the following services:

## EVALUATION AND TREATMENT

Should the specialist and/or facility recommend diagnostic testing (including x-rays, labwork, etc.) you must coordinate the care through your PCP. Failure to do so will result in your responsibility for any and all charges incurred for services of physicians and/or facilities.

### **All referrals are based on medical necessity and/or benefit eligibility on the date of issue.**

First Priority Health encourages Members to fully understand the benefits and exclusions of their contract, as outlined in your Member Handbook. If you have any questions regarding your available benefits or this notification, please contact the Inquiry Services Department at the appropriate phone number listed below.

First Priority Health.....1-800-822-8753  
First Priority 65.....1-800-315-2225  
CHIP.....1-800-543-7199  
Hearing Impaired (TDD).....1-800-413-1112  
(717) 831-2215

cc: DANIEL M MCNABB  
MOGERMAN ORTHOPAEDIC GROUP

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**CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
and MUSEUM, INC.**

Post Office Box 151, Carbondale, PA 18407

Phone: 717-282-0385

(Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future)

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December 8, 1997

Dear Society Member(s):

Thank you for renewing your membership in—or for becoming a member of—the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum for 1998. Your membership card is enclosed. We very much appreciate your support through membership.

On December 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Society's annual Christmas Dinner took place at Pettinato's Restaurant, Carbondale. Fifty-five members and friends attended the event, which was, in every respect, a complete success. Father Feldcamp of Saint Rose of Lima Church offered the invocation at the beginning of the evening.

In the course of the dinner meeting, "Distinguished Achievement Awards in Historical Preservation" were presented to the owners of the Wallis Building, the Pugliano Building, and Heritage House on-the-Park.

In addition, presentations were given by Barbara Holmes and Jane Varcoe, of the Waymart Area Historical Society, on the anniversary celebrations that will be held in 1998 to commemorate both the establishment of Wayne County and the closing of the Delaware and Hudson's Canal from Honesdale to Rondout. Joe Bryer, president of the Genealogical Research Society of Northeastern Pennsylvania, also addressed the group.

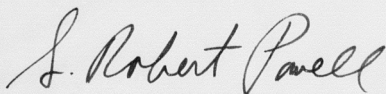
The evening concluded with a beautiful performance of Christmas music by Mary Ann DeMark, as well as a Christmas sing-along under Ms. DeMark's direction.

Many members and friends were heard to say that this year's annual Christmas dinner meeting was very special and most enjoyable.

On Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>, the Fourteenth Annual Carbondale Christmas Concert by the Crystal Band took place in the Berean Baptist Church, Carbondale. This annual concert is sponsored by the Historical Society and the Berean Baptist Church as a Christmas gift to the community as a whole. Refreshments were served following the concert. As always, the concert was a joyful and inspiring event.

The next meeting of the Society will take place on Wednesday, January 14, 1998, in the Community Room at the Carbondale Public Library. The meeting will begin at 7 P.M. and is expected to last no more than one hour. We are anxious to have your input as to present and future plans for the Historical Society. The meeting is open to the public. Come to the meeting. Bring a friend with you.

Sincerely,



S. Robert Powell

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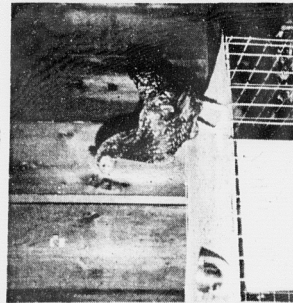
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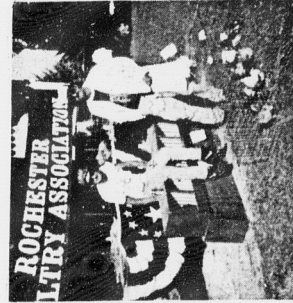
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ROCHESTER POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) GARY OVERTON RECEIVING THE SILVER CUP AND BURMASTER PLAQUE FOR CHAMPION BANTAM (2) GRAND CHAMPION BANTAM WITH THE SILVER CUP, A SPECKLED SUSSEX PULLET BY GARY OVERTON (3) S ROBERT POWELL

RECEIVING HIS AWARD FOR RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LARGE FOWL, A PARTRIDGE PLYMOUTH ROCK PULLET (4) ART LUNDGREN RECEIVING HIS AWARD FOR GRAND CHAMPION WATERFOWL ON HIS WHITE CALL (ROCHESTER POULTRY ASSOCIATION PHOTOS)

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ROCHESTER POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE SHOW HALL (2) WIGHTMAN BROTHERS IN FRONT OF TRADERS, ROW (3) JOHN REBHANH AND S ROBERT POWELL TELLING STORIES,

AGAIN (4) C DARRELL SHERAW RECEIVING THE AWARD FOR RESERVE CHAMPION WATERFOWL (ROCHESTER POULTRY ASSOCIATION PHOTOS)

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One Black Girl went to the Show!!  
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White Rock hen  
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Partridge Rock Pullet  
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Great Show  
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Thanks Art

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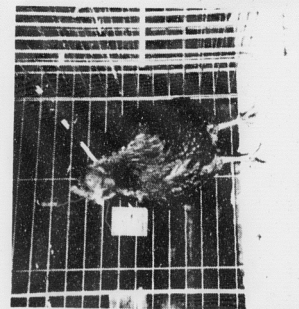
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EASTERN NEW YORK STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) GRAND CHAMPION BANTAM, A BUFF COCHIN PULLET BY BOB HAWES (2) SUPER GRAND CHAMPION OF THE SHOW A PARTRIDGE PLYMOUTH ROCK PULLET BY S ROBERT POWELL (3) RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION



BANTAM (ABA) AND GRAND CHAMPION WATERFOWL A WHITE CALL OLD MALE BY EY AVERY (4) JUDGE GERALD DONNELLY WORKING ON SOME OF THE 41 GESE ENTERED AT COBLESKILL (EASTERN NEW YORK PHOTOS)

### 35<sup>TH</sup> SHOW AT COBLESKILL A SUCCESS

By Beth Adams, Secty

The exhibitors rolling in on Saturday afternoon were greeted with a much-improved situation at Cobleskill this year. Not only was the whole hall set up and waiting for them, but the entire club membership was calm and ready to go! Many thanks to the club members who helped organize and prepare for the show.

The second improvement over previous years was the addition of several antique silver cups to the prizes

available at our show. Jeff Hurlato, a member from Hackensack, New Jersey donated three cups dating back to the 1920's to the club for perpetual trophies. The winners of overall Show Champion, Junior Champion and Champion Waterfowl will have their names added to the trophies each year. These beautiful cups add a taste of the history of exhibition poultry, as well as an added dimension of grace to our show. Thanks, Jeff!

We had great judges with us this year: Jerry Yeaw, Tom Kane and Gerald Donnelly. They had to work hard since entries were higher than expected, with a total of 1206 including 196 Junior entries. Don Nelson worked with the

Juniors on their birds, and met many kids who have worked hard all year on their poultry projects. The Junior show was won by Sean Kane with a call duck.

The overall show champion was an incredible Partridge Rock pullet by S. Robert Powell. This same bird was, obviously Champion Large Fowl, with a Black Cochins pullet by Bill Ryan taking the Reserve Large Fowl spot. Champion Bantam was a Buff Cochins pullet by Bob Hawes,

with the Reserve Bantam spot being split between a Spangled Old English Hen by Dave Loigren for the APA, and a White Call drake by Ey Avery for the ABA. Champion Waterfowl was the same White call by Ey Avery, and Reserve

Waterfowl was an Embden gander by Adams Waterfowl.

We had a very nice waterfowl exhibit this year with over 30 geese shown. Champion Waterfowl was the White Call old drake by Ey Avery, which was also Embden of Adams Waterfowl. The reserve in the heavy class was a Toulouse old goose by Adams Waterfowl. Adams also took the reserve medium spot with a Buff old goose, and the reserve light spot with a Tufted Roman old gander. Best medium goose was won by Jeff Hurlato on a Sebastopol old goose, and the light class was won by Bonni Cavanaugh on a Brown China old gander. The bantam chicken classes were championed by Bob Hawes' Buff Cochins pullet with the reserve spot going to Dave Loigren's Spangled Old

Bantam Ducks was won by Ey Avery, who also took the reserve spot on a White Call young duck.

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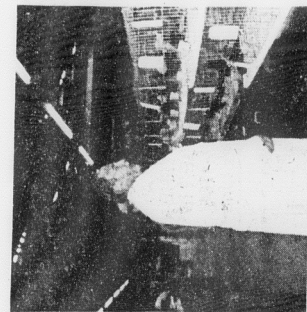
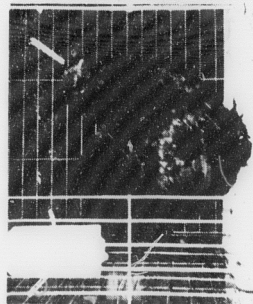
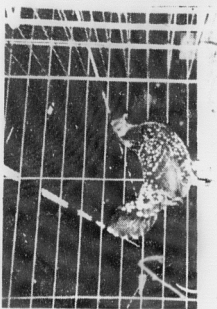
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**Danielle Duvall**  
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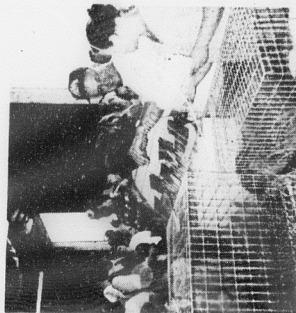
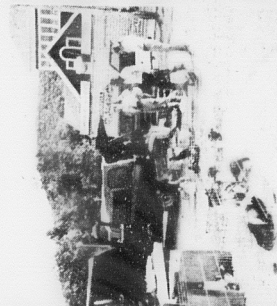
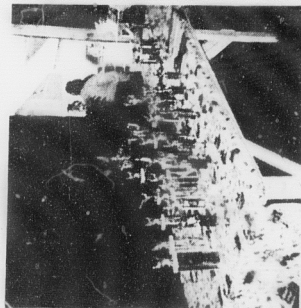
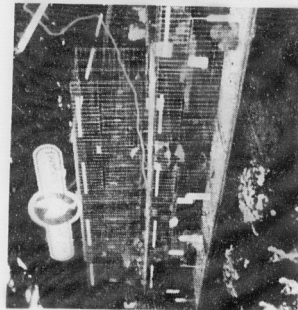
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EASTERN NEW YORK STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BANTAM (APA), A SPANGLE OLD ENGLISH HEN BY DAVE LOFGREN (2) RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LARGE FOWL, A

BLACK COCHIN PULLET BY BILL RYAN (3) RESERVE CHAMPION DUCK A ROUEN MALE BY SHAWN STREETER (4) JUDGE TOM KANE WORKING ON THE OLD ENGLISH (EASTERN NEW YORK PHOTOS)

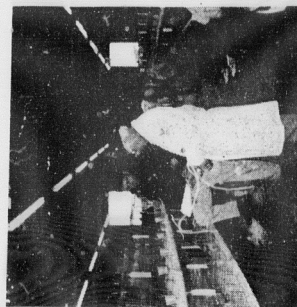
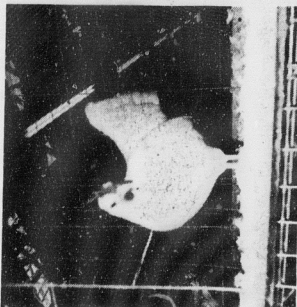
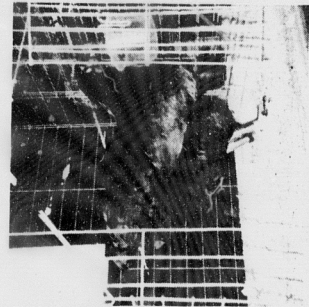
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EASTERN NEW YORK STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) CHAMPION ROW STARTING TO FILL UP (2) THE TROPHY COLLECTION FOR THE EXHIBITORS (3) TAILGATE SALES WERE BRISK, JEFF IURATO AND

BONNI CAVANAUGH DISCUSSING THE FINER POINTS OF RUNNER DUCKS (4) A LARGE NUMBER OF REGISTERED RABBITS WERE THE HIT OF THE RAFFLE (EASTERN NEW YORK PHOTOS)

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**EASTERN NEW YORK STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) CHAMPION MODERN, A BB RED COCKEREL BY BENNETT BANTAMS (2) CHAMPION ENGLISH, A BLACK AUSTRALORP PULLET BY SUSAN KOWALSKI (3)**

English hen. The reserve Old English bird was a Blue Red pullet by Dave Bethel. Champion Modern was a BB red cock by Bennett Bantams, and reserve was a Golden Duckwing cockerel by Gillis and McCarthy. The SCCL class was won by a White Leghorn pullet by Don and Sue Nelson, with reserve going to Bill Post on a Rhode Island Red pullet. The RCCL class was won by John Chambers on a Silver Sebright pullet, and reserve was Twin Cedars Farm on a White Wyandotte pullet. The AOCC class was championed by a Sumatra hen by George and Donna Schopac, with the reserve bird being a Partridge Chantrel cockerel by Robert David Sweeney. Champion Featherleg was Bob Hawes'

Buff Cochon pullet, with reserve going to Sugar Hill Poultry on a Light Brahma pullet.

The standard chicken classes were lead off by the Champion Large Fowl, the Partridge Rock pullet by S. Robert Powell. Reserve in the American class was a SC Rhode Island Red cockerel by Larry Conroy. The Asiatic class was won by the Reserve Large Fowl, a Black Cochon pullet by Bill Ryan. Asiatic was a Partridge Cochon pullet by Jeff Iurato. Best Continental was a White Crested Black Polish pullet by Karen Dudley and Chuck Riggs, with reserve going to a Buff Laced Polish cockerel by Christopher McCue. Best Mediterranean was a White Leghorn pullet by Twin

Cedars, with reserve going to a Light Brown Leghorn cockerel by Doug Wright. Best English went to Susan Kowalski's Australorp pullet, with reserve being Russ Crevoiserat's Buff Orpington pullet. Any Other Standard Breed was won by a BB Red Old English Game hen by Peter Etheridge, and reserve was a Sumatra cockerel by Janie Carle.

The show this year was even bigger, and went off a lot better than last year. The members of the club banded together to pull this show off, and I, for one, hope we can continue to do it. We will be meeting before this reaches press, but anyone interested in joining or helping our club should call me at 1-607-538-1356 (evenings and weekends

are best) or email me at BethAdams@compuserve.com. Thank you to all our exhibitors and supporters!

**CHAMPION SCCL, A S.C. WHITE LEGHORN PULLET BY DON AND SUE NELSON (4) JUDGE JERRY YEAW AND THE AMAZING CLERK JEFF KANE (EASTERN NEW YORK PHOTOS)**

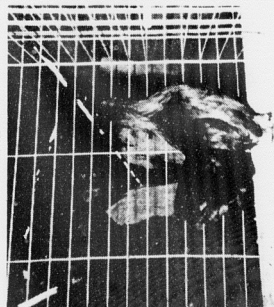
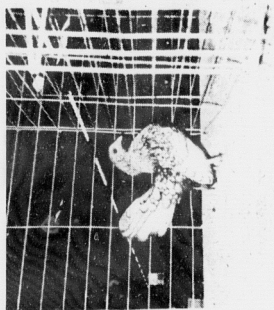
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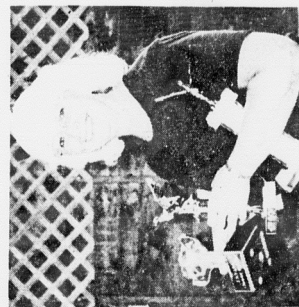


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EASTERN NEW YORK STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) CHAMPION RCCL, A SILVER SEBRIGHT PULLET BY JOHN CHAMBERS (2) CHAMPION MEDITERRANEAN, A S.C. WHITE LEGHORN PULLET BY TWIN CEDAR FARM (3) CHAMPION AOCCL, A BLACK SUMATRA HEN BY

GEORGE AND DONNA SCHOPAC (4) CHAMPION CONTINENTAL, A WHITE CRESTED BLACK POLISH PULLET BY KAREN DUDLEY AND CHUCK RIGGS (EASTERN NEW YORK PHOTOS)



EASTERN NEW YORK STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) CHAMPION AOSB, A BB RED OLD ENGLISH HEN BY PETER ETHERIDGE (2) EYV AVERY AND EMMA WIGHTMAN HELP HANDOUT THE AWARDS (3) S ROBERT POWELL WINS AN ARMLOAD OF TROPHIES WITH HIS

PARTRIDGE PLYMOUTH ROCK PULLET (4) EYV AVERY WITH HER TROPHIES FOR CHAMPION CALL DUCK, CHAMPION WATERFOWL AND RESERVE CHAMPION BANTAM (EASTERN NEW YORK PHOTOS)

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## FREEZE, RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE

By S. Robert Powell

Most of us know all too well what it's like to get up in the middle of the night and head out to a poultry show.

Too much rushing about in the early morning hours as you try to get everything done that has to be done. Too much anxiety as you drive long hours in the dark, only to discover - to your chagrin - that you're still 75 miles from the show hall and that judging will begin in one hour. Not enough time to adequately clean up your birds once they're in the show cages.

To avoid those - and other difficult consequences of middle - of - the - night departures for poultry shows, three of my poultry buddies (Bob Anke, Chuck Campfield, Dick Laabs) and I decided to travel together to the 15th annual fall show of the Twin Tier Poultry Club at Bath, New York, on September 7th. We decided to leave for the Sunday show at 1 pm on Saturday and to travel in Bob Anke's house trailer (with sleeping accommodations for six), with Chuck Campfield at the wheel.

Like clockwork, everything went beautifully on Saturday: we arrived in Bath, New York in plenty of time to get our birds into their show cages and to groom them before the show hall closed.

We then had dinner at a nice restaurant and returned to the fairgrounds. After some very enjoyable poultry talk, we called it a day and turned in.

I usually get up very early, so I was not surprised to discover that it was 4 am when I woke up on Sunday. I decided to get up even though I knew it was much too early to expect the show hall to be open.

I walked around the fairgrounds. It was a beautiful morning - still very dark, but the moon was out, and the star-filled sky was a sight to behold.

Recently, I read an article

about the importance of the constellation Orion to the ancient Egyptians, and so I was anxious to study that constellation. I did so.

At about 5 am, I decided - just for the heck of it - to do a round trip on the access road from the highway into the fairgrounds. As I passed the fourth house on the right on the way out, a side-porch light came on and a man let out a dog for its morning outing. I said "Good morning." The man made no reply. "Be unsociable if you want to - see if I care," said I to myself. I continued on my way.

When I returned to the fairgrounds, I sat down on one of the tables in the shade pavilion. Later in the day, all the tables in the pavilion would be covered with Chinese auction items. The pavilion would also be full of birds for sale.

Suddenly, from out of nowhere, a police car, its roof lights on and wildly spinning, raced down the access road and onto the fairgrounds. I was very visible at the edge of the pavilion.

The police car came at me at full speed and stopped, in true Hollywood/TV police-drama style, a few feet from where I sat. Both front doors on the still-running police cruiser swung open. Two police officers sprang from the car and pointed flashlights directly in my face. I remained motionless. I said nothing.

Slowly, very slowly, they approached. "Let's see your identification!" barked one of the officers. I took out my driver's license and showed it to him.

I sensed that these keepers of the peace might be wondering why I was sitting on a picnic table in the shade pavilion on the Steuben County Fairgrounds at 5 o'clock in the morning. I explained, before being asked, that I was a poultry exhibitor at the annual fall show of the Twin Tier Poultry Club and said that I was waiting for the show hall "over there, in the sheep - and - swine building" to open.

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I showed them the copy of the exhibitors' list that I had in my back pocket and pointed out my name, exhibitor 82, in the list.

The tension in the air diminished, somewhat, and the two officers no longer seemed to regard me as a dangerous criminal - only a poultry fancier, and apparently not too dangerous a one, although probably at least half crazy.

The second officer, sensing that I must be wondering what was going on, offered the following - "We had a call that some drunk was wandering about in the dark on the access road and on the fairgrounds."

Instantly, I knew who called the police: the unsociable man who was putting his dog out


for a walk as I passed by his house - the man who said nothing when I spoke to him. "Who else would be out at this time of night, walking down the street," he must have thought, "but some drunk who can't find his way home?"

The two police officers, who seemed a little disappointed that they - defenders of truth, justice, and the American way - had not apprehended a dangerous threat to the social order, took their leave. When they were well away from the fairgrounds, I gave out a sigh of relief and noted that day was breaking. It looked like it would be a beautiful day.

It wasn't long before the Whitney brothers arrived and opened the show hall. We had a good laugh about the incident.

The moral of the story, I guess, is this. If you're going to arrive early - very early - at a poultry show, stay in your vehicle and maintain a very low profile, or you may get yourself into trouble with the law.




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December 3, 1997

Dear Poultry Friend:

As a member of the American Poultry Association, you are surely aware that two highly qualified candidates are now running for the office of president of the APA, Bart Pals and Pat Malone. Whomever wins the election, I'm sure that the APA will be well served.

I am writing you this letter to tell you that I believe **BART PALS**, who is currently completing a very successful term of office as **Vice President of the APA**, to be the better man for the job at this point in the APA's history. He has the organizational and diplomatic skills, the know-how, and the patience to do the job--and to do it well. Equally important, he has made a firm and enthusiastic commitment to help build a future for the APA.

I am going to vote for **BART PALS** as **President of the APA**, and I urge you to vote for him. Enclosed is a copy of a two-page statement that Bart Pals sent to me about himself and his candidacy for the presidency of the APA.

Best wishes for a joyful holiday season. During this holiday season, in addition to the usual poultry chores, it looks like I will be taking care of quite a number of new chicks. In late October, when I could see that a couple of "extra special" two- and three-year old hens were getting ready to lay, I decided to set up a few breeding pens (Partridge Rocks, Black Orpingtons, R. C. Rhode Island Reds, Modern Games). Fertility was excellent—better than ever. I now have four hens with about 40 chicks—and the incubator is full. Now the pullets are laying well. It's a wonderful time of year.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
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Bart —

I mailed a copy  
 of the attached  
 letter to these  
 45 people today.

I will <sup>also</sup> do a  
 separate letter to  
 the APA judges  
 that I know.

Sincerely,

Robert



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December 3, 1997

Dear Poultry Friend:

Given (1) your long-term association with the APA and (2) the fact that you are a licensed APA judge, it goes without saying that you are surely aware that two highly qualified candidates are now running for the office of president of the APA, Pat Malone and Bart Pals. Whomever wins the election, I'm sure that the APA will be well served.

In all likelihood, you know personally one or both of these candidates. In all probability, you have already made your decision as to whom you will vote for in the upcoming APA elections. In the event that you have not yet made that decision, however, allow me to share with you the two-page statement that Bart Pals sent to me about himself and his candidacy for the presidency of the APA.

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Recipients of the attached letter:

Ernest S. Durb  
Dick Greubel  
L. Tom Kane  
Donald L. Krahe  
Paul F. Kroll  
Elton W. Minnich  
Donald Nelson  
Curtis R. Oakes  
Rick A. Porr  
George Schroeder  
C. Darrel Sheraw  
Gus Vinhage  
Jerry Yeaw

12/2/97  
Bart —

This is the letter  
that I sent to these  
13 APA judges.

I was pleased to  
see all the "vote-  
for-Bart-Pals"  
publicity in the  
December issue of  
Poetry Press — which  
arrived today!

Sincerely,  
Robert

A.P.A. AND A.B.A.  
GENERAL LICENSED JUDGE  
BART PALS  
1119 EAST STATE STREET  
MASON CITY, IOWA 50401  
(515) 424-3709

CANDIDATE FOR AMERICAN POULTRY ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

The American Poultry Association has a long and wonderful heritage, which I truly respect. But, we need to start preparing the A.P.A. for the future. We have revised and rewritten many things over the last couple of years. It is now time to *revisit* the membership and give the A.P.A. back to it's members.

Over the last several years we have received many great ideas, only some of which have been acted upon. The A.P.A. Home Page is one example of a member's idea being implemented. Since it's inception the A.P.A. home Page has had nearly twenty thousand visits. Through the Home Page we have been able to reach a whole new audience. This needs to be expanded to include A.P.A. forms and membership application. Since inviting questions, suggestions, and ideas we have received a host of outstanding proposals by the members which we need to aggressively pursue.

The A.P.A. needs to nurture it's relationship with the industry. We have started by referring all industry related e-mail to universities and industry members. In return they are referring all purebred poultry e-mails and questions to us. By doing this we work on building a relationship with the industry and universities, and are getting questions answered. Working with the poultry industry opens doors for purebred poultry that we have never before thought possible. Murray McMurray hatchery sells more A.P.A. memberships then anyone else, but until only two years ago the A.P.A. and the Nation's oldest purebred hatchery had not worked together in such a cooperative manor. The American Poultry Association has many wonderful resources available that have, as yet, been untapped.

The A.P.A. needs to be more accessible to the members. A.P.A. "*connections*" should be in place in which qualified people located in different parts of the country would set up tables at shows and would be available to the members. Directors and State/Provincial reps are available but seldom do they setup tables. These connections would be an outreach of the A.P.A. secretary's arm. We should have at least two in Canada, one on the west coast and at least one in the south.



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We need to continue to work on opening the lines of communication. We need correspondence within the A.P.A.. Including the officers, directors, State reps and, most importantly, the MEMBERS. We need to get members more actively involved in the committees and realize the importance of there input. We need to make the A.P.A. financially beneficial to it's membership. By offering a discount on publications, feed, medications, etc. it **should** become cost effective to be an A.P.A. member.

Anyone who knows me will testify to my sincerity and dedication to purebred poultry and the A.P.A.. I have worked very hard to help educate, and make educational material available to the youth and new exhibitors. I have not written hundreds of articles because I think I am a great writer nor did my wife and I develop the "From Chick to Champ" video because we think we are Stephen Spielberg. Rather, I know there is a need to offer these materials as a source of learning for the youth and new fancier.

I volunteered to do the Home Page, having absolutely no expertise in this area simply because we knew there was a need. Through the help of several individuals my knowledge has broadened and we have another resource available.

Since being elected vice president I have notice items the board has approved but have been virtually left on the table. One example is having a "questionnaire" in the A.P.A. Quarterly. This questionnaire has been used once in four years. We need to use this tool, as a way for acquiring information and ideas from the members.

I am asking you to please consider supporting me, in my bid for president, as I try to bring the American Poultry Association up to the stature it deserves. Some people say that purebred poultry is simply a backyard hobby and no one will take us serious. I say this: The USDA and poultry industries throughout the United States predict that by the year 2000 Iowa will be the number one state in poultry. In Iowa the governing agent for the poultry industry is the Iowa Poultry Association. This association has recognized the importance of purebred poultry by allotting us equal representation on the Iowa Poultry Association board. I believe that ALL of the poultry industries throughout the Nation can be shown the importance of purebred poultry through diligence and commitment.

Again, I would appreciate your support.

*Handwritten signature: Paul*

12/2/97

Dear Karen + Rick,

Look at it this way —  
You can make paper airplanes  
out of the "vote-for-Bart-  
Pals" material that I sent  
you earlier today —

Before the December issue  
of Poetry Press arrived  
and I read your Pat  
Malone ad.

I like the idea that  
you are taking a public  
stand in favor of one of  
the candidates (as I am).  
Many people are afraid

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to speak out, it seems.  
Hope you are both well and  
that you have an  
enjoyable holiday season.



Best regards,  
Robert

FLYING DUCKS 36-4

From an Original mouthpainted by D. VANDEK  
Published by the Association of Handicapped Artists, Inc.

Litho in U.S.A. by Holling Press, Inc., Buffalo, N.Y.



RECYCLES



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** Just a pinecone icon you can use to dress up your correspondence  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 10, 1997 10:10AM



<<File Attachment: PINECON2.BMP>>

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Pine cones and foxes  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 10, 1997 3:06PM

Poems about writing poems can often be so cerebral. I thought Ted Hughes treatment, on the other hand, very refreshing.

I find he often employs diction that conjures up striking visceral imagery--the use of the word "stink" instead of "must" or "musk," for instance.

Your welcome for the pine cones. I hope you get some use out of them. Cut-and-paste them onto everything.

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Paul Warner  
**Subject:** Pine cones and foxes  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 10, 1997 2:56PM

Thanks for the pine cone icon. I don't have a copy at hand (everyone, of course, should) of "The Tree Identification Book" from the ICS "Professional Landscaper" course, but it looks to me like it's a Scotch Pine icon.

Ted Hughes' midnight fox is wonderful.

"with a sudden sharp hot stink of fox" is a remarkable phrase, and one that I have to think more about.

### THE THOUGHT-FOX

I imagine this midnight moment's forest:  
Something else is alive  
Beside the clock's loneliness  
And this blank page where my fingers move.

Through the window I see no star:  
Something more near  
Though deeper within darkness  
Is entering the loneliness:

Cold, delicately as the dark snow,  
A fox's nose touches twig, leaf;  
Two eyes serve a movement, that now  
And again now, and now, and now

Sets neat prints into the snow  
Between trees, and warily a lame  
Shadow lags by stump and in hollow  
Of a body that is bold to come

Across clearings, an eye,  
A widening deepening greenness,  
Brilliantly, concentratedly,  
Coming about its own business

Till, with a sudden sharp hot stink of fox  
It enters the dark hole of the head.  
The window is starless still; the clock ticks,  
The page is printed.

Ted Hughes

[12/10/97]



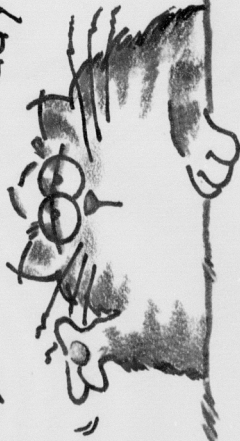
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Obviously.

Peg

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I'm not going to  
insult your intelligence  
by sending you  
a card with a  
typical birthday  
age gag.  
You're too smart.  
You'd see it coming.  
After all, you weren't  
born yesterday.



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Dear Helen.

Bravo.  
7625 E. Camelback Rd.  
#222A. Maya  
Scottsdale, PA.  
85251

Warm wishes for a wonderful holiday  
and happiness for you in all seasons

Take good care.  
See you in the Spring

Sending Special Thoughts  
+  
Warm Holiday Wishes.

Truly  
Millie & A.C.  
Bravo

1/7/98

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Bravo,  
My mother enjoyed your  
Christmas Card. Thank you  
for thinking of her.

She is doing fine, but has  
to spend most of her time  
in a wheelchair because of  
a weak leg following a broken  
hip and also bad arthritis  
in her other leg.

The Homestead Golf Course  
will re-open this spring,  
under my brother Donald's  
direction.

Happy New Year,  
S. Robert Powell



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Dear Helen:

I haven't talked to you in quite some time. I hope you are well. I was clearing my desk and found this slip. I thought you might like to have it.



Mrs. Olwen R. Adler  
RR 6 Box 6602  
Moscow, PA 18444

Dear Helen

May all your Christmas surprises  
be happy ones!

Best wishes to you and your  
family.

With love,

Olwen.

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1/7/98

Dear olwen,

Thanks for thinking of my  
mother at Christmas time  
and for sending her a  
Card.

She is doing OK - spends  
most of her time in a  
Wheelchair due to her  
weak leg following a  
broken hip; also bad  
arthritis in the other  
leg.

The Hornstead Golf  
Course will reopen in the  
spring under my brother  
Donald's direction.

Happy New Year,  
Robert

Eleanor Williams  
 Grace Moore  
 Liz Skendson  
 Phyllis Arthur  
 Kathryn Quirion  
 Jojoje Fox  
 Mae Barry  
 Willie Emmett  
 Ruth Chapman  
 Ruth Lee  
 Carolyn Pepper

"They rejoiced with exceeding great joy."

Matthew 2:10

...and  
 especially  
 to you!

"Hello -"  
 "The Beccano-missed  
 you at our Yule dinner,  
 and wanted you to know  
 you are missed all the time.  
 Enjoy the goodies in  
 the basket the ladies brought  
 for you and have a  
 joyful holiday season.  
 "Beccano"

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11/21/98

"Dear Seamus" and  
Seamus,

I thank you for sending  
my mother the  
Christmas booklet -  
and also the  
Poinsettia. She has  
enjoyed them  
very much.

Because of her broken  
hip and bad  
arthritis, she spends  
most of her time  
in a wheelchair.

But she is doing  
just fine - I'm  
happy to report.

Your kindness  
was greatly  
appreciated.

I always  
enjoy reading  
the Berean News

Sincerely,  
Robert Powell

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With every good wish  
for a holiday  
that's happy.

Happy new year  
to - Jeanne

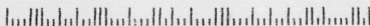
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Helene Powell & Family  
Carbondale Penn  
RD #1  
18407

Box 49



11/21/98

Dear Cousin Jeanie,  
I thank for thinking of  
us during the holiday  
season.

My mother is well  
(she'll be 85 in June), but  
spends most of her  
time in a wheelchair,  
following a broken  
hip and also bad  
arthritis.

My brother Donald

will reopen the  
golf course here at  
Leano this coming  
Spring. No course  
is regarded by many  
as among the  
most beautiful  
in the region.

Happy new year,

S. Robert Powell

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Season's greetings and warm wishes  
for the coming year.

Dear Helen,  
I hope you are feeling  
better and enjoy the holidays.  
I'm a mess - don't get out  
very much - It's heck to get old!  
Love you anyway -  
Ruth Shea



Mrs. Ruth Shea  
130 Westgate Dr. Apt. F10  
Carbondale, PA 18407



Mrs. Helen Powell  
Carbondale, RR1  
Pa., 18407

"The Homestead"

1/8/98

Dear Mrs. Shea,

Thanks for thinking of my mother at Christmas and for sending her a card.

She is doing OK, but spends most of her time in a wheelchair, following a broken hip; also bad arthritis.

She doesn't get out much, although we did have her to the Church for the Capital Band concert in early December.

Happy New Year.

S. Robert Powell



Mr. & Mrs.  
Geoffrey W. Clarke  
RR #4, Box 125  
Huntingdon, PA 16652

*Holiday Greetings*

Love,

Geoff, Cindy, Kate & Robin

Have a wonderful Christmas!



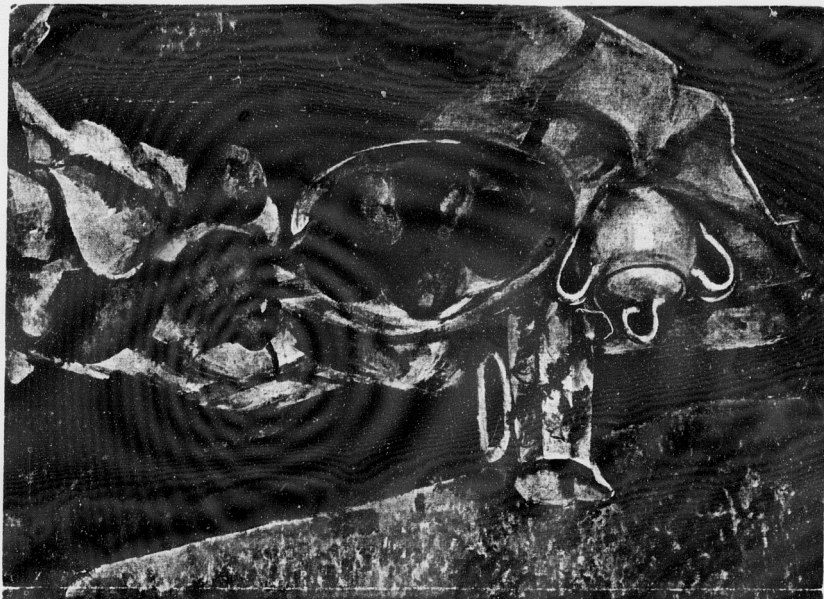
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Dear Geoff, Cindy & family,  
Thanks for thinking of us at  
Christmas time.

My mother broke her hip about  
a year ago and now spends  
most of her time in a  
wheelchair. My brother  
Donald will reopen the  
family golf course this  
Spring, the Homestead  
Golf Course — regarded  
by many as among the  
most beautiful in the  
region.

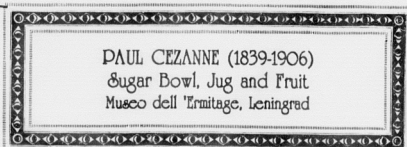
I continue to work as  
an editor and to raise  
exhibition poetry. Maybe

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Sala/Art Resource NY

You saw me on the Martha  
Stewart television show on the  
day  
after  
Thanksgiving. The show was  
about exhibition poetry.  
Come see us.



Sincerely,  
Robert Powell

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[ Mr & Mrs. Donald W. Swain  
2400 Hidden Creek Circle  
Sebring, FL 33870 ]

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Dear Friends,

Thanks for thinking of us at  
Christmas time. We enjoyed  
the Card.

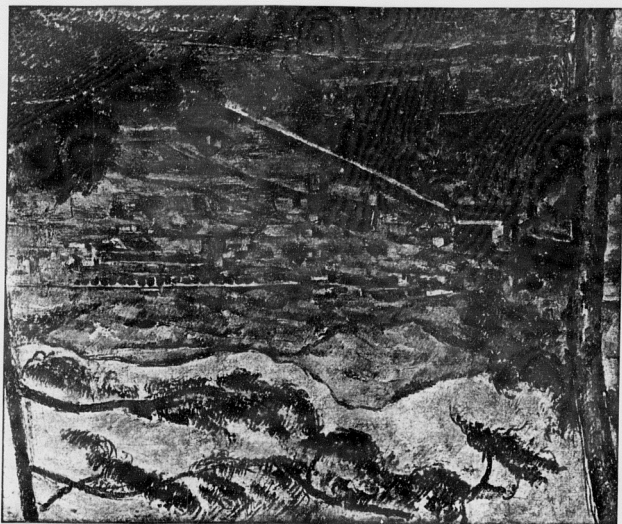
My mother is fine, but  
spends most of her time in  
a wheelchair — she broke her  
hip about a year ago; also  
very bad arthritis. But  
she is doing fine. Donald  
and I are her nurses/  
attendants/care givers.

Donald will reopen the  
Homestead Golf Course in the  
spring. He spent much of  
this past summer getting  
things ready.

I continue to work as  
an editor at ICS in  
Seanton and to work at



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raising "prize winning"  
exhibition poultry. You may  
have seen me on the Martha  
Stewart television show this  
past

PAUL CEZANNE (1839-1906)

Mont Sainte-Victoire c. 1886-87

Oil on canvas 23-1/2 x 28-1/2

The Phillips Collection, Washington, D.C.

Thanksgiving -

it was a show about raising  
and showing poultry.

Hope you are both well.

Sincerely, Robert

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Dear Robert



Richard & Thola Waldau  
433 County Rt. 23  
Constantia, NY  
13044-9756

Ring out every Joy for a very  
Merry Christmas



Happy Holiday to you!

Sincerely Yrs  
Dick & Thola

1997

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Dear Robert -

WISHING YOU

ALL GOOD THINGS

THROUGHOUT THE COMING YEAR

Love,

JANICE, JOHN, CHRISTOPHER AND JEFFREY

Janice Carter  
1919 Locust St.  
Bloomington, IN 47401



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There is a fellowship more quiet even than solitude, and which,  
rightly understood, is solitude made perfect.

**Robert Louis Stevenson** (1850-94), Scottish novelist, essayist, poet.  
*Travels With a Donkey*, "A Night Among the Pines" (1879).

[P.W. 12-15-97]

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From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: JJJCarter@aol.com  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Tue, 16 Dec 1997 10:31:26 -0500  
Subject: Holiday thoughts  
Message-ID: <19971216.103127.3558.0.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

Thanks for the birthday and holiday greetings. I'm sure your tree is beautifully decorated. We won't get a tree until my brother's son arrives for the holidays. Then we'll go off into the woods and chop one down and drag it home through the fields and put it up. I love the idea of being able to go out into the woods and find a tree.

At the end of the Thanksgiving holiday, my nephew and I made some Fruit Cakes. I made a whole production out of the process so that the memory will stay with my nephew. He was the official stir-er and measure-er of the cake batter. We had a grand time.

I wish you could see the holiday display that I have on a bookcase (visible from great distances by hundreds of people) above my desk. It's breathtaking. Large blue and white Chinese crock/bowl (the kind with the flat rims), filled with fir boughs and "very tastefully" decorated (about a dozen very old and extra special ornaments). The "tree" is about 5 feet wide and three feet tall. Under my desk-top tree, I have an apple pyramid (about a dozen apples) on a gorgeous old plate, and a pomander that I made (positioned on top of an upside down Chinese rice bowl). It's a real show stopper. The aroma of fir and orange and cloves fills the department. Wonderful!

The photo of your "little boys" is very nice. They have their mother's winning smile! They're probably taller than you are. Are they taller than Johnny? Is that your fireplace or was the photo taken in a studio?

The cast is scheduled to come of my arm this afternoon. I can hardly wait. I broke the bones in my arm on October 5th and the past 10 weeks have been very difficult.

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From: bart pals <apa@netins.net>  
Return-path: <apa@netins.net>  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com (S. R. Powell)  
Date: Wed, 3 Dec 1997 15:58:50 -0600 (CST)  
Subject: Re: APA election  
Message-ID: <199712032158.PAA29863@ins8.netins.net>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Windows Eudora Light Version 1.5.2

At 10:36 AM 12/3/97 -0500, you wrote:

>I have written two different form letters and mailed them to 58 APA  
>members who I know reasonably well and told them that I am going to vote  
>for you in the upcoming APA election and urged them to also vote for  
you.

>I enclosed in each of those letters a copy of the 2-page statement that  
>you sent me about yourself.

>

>I will mail to you today, by surface mail, copies of both of those form  
>letters, together with a list of the recipients of each.

>

>About a month ago, I got a phone call from Iowa from another Bart Pals

>supporter. At the time of the call, I wrote down the guy's name and

>address, but I can't seem to locate that piece of paper at the moment.

By

>any chance, would you know who that was? I'd like to contact him by mail

>and discuss the campaign to get Bart Pals elected president of the APA.

>

>I was very pleased to see all the vote-for-Bart-Pals publicity in the

>December 1997 issue of POULTRY PRESS.

>

S.Robert; THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!! I truly appreciate it.

I

found it completely humbling to see all of those ads in the P.Press. I

never

expected to see such a show of support. The guy from Iowa was probably

Dennis Thompson. His phone number is:

(515)963-0410

Again, thank you for your help.

Bart>



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From: JJJCarter <JJJCarter@aol.com>  
Return-path: <JJJCarter@aol.com>  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com  
Date: Thu, 11 Dec 1997 06:13:40 EST  
Subject: happy birthday to you  
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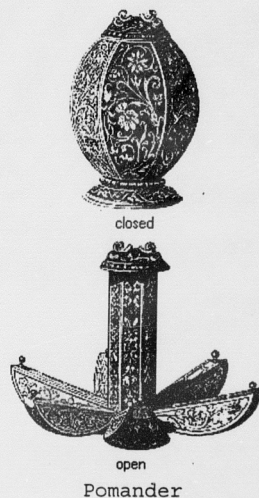
dear robert, i am trying to type this without my glasses,so if there are mistakes,they are typos only. happy bairthday to you.. all is well here.  
we  
were in chicago this past weekend and had a wonderful time. we went tothe  
renoir portrait exhibit at the art institue, and also went to see rent.  
we had  
a wonderful room on the 25 floor, which overlooked a little of lake  
michigan  
and michigan avenue,which was aglow with white lights. we put up our tree  
this  
week, johnny and i went to a tree farm where it is cut, shhook andf  
bundled  
for you. it was snowing the evening we went, so it was quite beautifuno  
no  
other news here.. love janice

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po·man·der

po·man·der (pō'măn'dər, pō-măn'-) *noun*

1. A mixture of aromatic substances enclosed in a bag or box as a protection against odor or infection, formerly worn on one's person but now usually placed in a dresser drawer or closet.
2. A case, box, or bag for holding this mixture.



Pomander

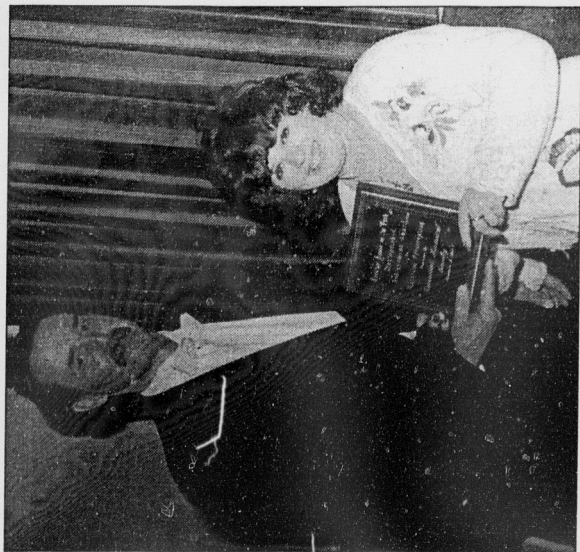
[Middle English *pomendambre*, alteration of Old French *pome d'embre*, apple of amber, from Medieval Latin *pōmum dē ambrā*: *pōmum*, apple, ball (from Latin, fruit) + Latin *dē*, of. See *de-* + *ambrā*, ablative of *ambra*, amber. See *AMBER*.]

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**Pomander, n.**

ME, modif. of MF *pome d'ambre*, lit. apple or ball of amber, 15<sup>th</sup> century

A mixture of aromatic substances enclosed in a perforated bag or box and used to scent clothes and linens or formerly carried as a guard against infection; also: a clove-studded orange or apple used for the same purposes; also a box or hollow fruit-shaped ball for holding pomander.



**HISTORICAL SOCIETY AWARD** - S. Robert Powell (president, Carbondale Historical Society) recently presented a Distinguished Achievement Award to Darlene Bednarczyk (Heritage House on the Park) for her extensive restoration work on her Heritage House building. (News photo by Larry Gabriel Jr.)

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## Post-Donation and Call-Back Instructions

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### After you give blood...

Be sure to take the following precautions:

- Drink an extra four glasses (8 ounces each) of non-alcoholic liquids.
- Keep your bandage on and dry for the next five hours, and do not do heavy exercise or lifting.
- If the needle site starts to bleed, raise your arm straight up, and press on the site until the bleeding stops.
- If you get dizzy, lie down and raise your feet.
- Because you could experience dizziness or loss of strength, use caution if you plan to do anything that could put you or others at risk of harm. For any hazardous occupation or hobby, follow applicable safety recommendations regarding your return to these activities following a blood donation.
- If you get a bruise
  - apply ice to the area intermittently for 10-15 minutes during the first 24 hours. Thereafter, apply intermittent warm moist heat for 10-15 minutes to the area.
  - a rainbow of colors may occur for about 10 days.
- If you get bruising larger than a 2-3 inch diameter, redness, swelling, or pain where the needle was, or tingling in your fingers or arm, contact the American Red Cross at the telephone number listed below.

gave  
blood  
at  
ICS  
on  
12/18/97

### Call us if...

After you leave the blood collection site, call us if you

- remember important health information that you may not have given us, or
- decide that your blood may not be safe to give to another person.

Our telephone number is (717) 823-7164 or 1-800-432-8045 (PA only).  
If you call, you will be asked for your whole blood number, which is shown below.

YOUR WHOLE BLOOD NUMBER IS:

30GJ 19125

### Thank you again...

Thank you again for donating blood to the American Red Cross. We hope you will donate in the future when after 8 weeks you are again eligible.

From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: mlwinter@aol.com  
Subject: Christmas  
X-Status: New

Donald's son will not arrive for Christmas until the 27th.

We're thinking of celebrating Christmas officially (linen tablecloth, Noritake, silver, "a big feed," presents) when Donald arrives on the 27th.

On the 25th, at midday, we're thinking of having "a nice meal," but not all the Christmas hoopla.

You, of course, are invited to participate in all this.

Do these proposed plans strike you as workable?



**HISTORICAL SOCIETY HONOR** - S. Robert Powell (president, Carbondale Historical Society) presents Distinguished Achievement Award to Tony Talerico for his restoration work on his building on Dundaff Street. (News photo by Larry Gabriel Jr.)



**HISTORICAL SOCIETY AWARD** - S. Robert Powell (president, Carbondale Historical Society) presents Distinguished Achievement Award to Bill Wallis, Jeff Wallis and Bob Wallis for the restoration work done on Wallis Building on Main Street. (News photo by Larry Gabriel Jr.)



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POWELL, S. ROBERT			
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To: apa@netins.net  
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X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

I have written two different form letters and mailed them to 58 APA members who I know reasonably well and told them that I am going to vote for you in the upcoming APA election and urged them to also vote for you. I enclosed in each of those letters a copy of the 2-page statement that you sent me about yourself.

I will mail to you today, by surface mail, copies of both of those form letters, together with a list of the recipients of each.

About a month ago, I got a phone call from Iowa from another Bart Pals supporter. At the time of the call, I wrote down the guy's name and address, but I can't seem to locate that piece of paper at the moment. By any chance, would you know who that was? I'd like to contact him by mail and discuss the campaign to get Bart Pals elected president of the APA.

I was very pleased to see all the vote-for-Bart-Pals publicity in the December 1997 issue of POULTRY PRESS.

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Juno e-mail printed Mon, 15 Dec 1997 16:37:33 , page 1

From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: lakeariel@aol.com  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Mon, 15 Dec 1997 16:36:11 -0500  
Subject: Prodigal sheep, jubilation, and Byzantine mosaics  
Message-ID: <19971215.163612.3878.0.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

Your card is making the rounds.

We all miss you!

Your former office has been striped bare, of course. Last week, Denise had the phone line moved from your office to one of the empty cubicles near her. Regrettably, my phone line went at the same time. As I recall, your phone line and mine were tangled up when we first moved into this area--your phone messages were on my phone, and vice versa. The phone lines have finally been untangled.

Paul Marinaro now gone; a new editor (Liz Cruciani) now hired. Liz's husband, Mike, works somewhere here at ICS. Accounting?

Tomorrow afternoon, the cast comes off my arm. It's been a long battle. I broke the bones on October 5th.

It's very quiet in the department these days (which is fine with me). Even Joe R. and Debbie S. are quieter than usual. Although one does occasionally hear "What the F\*\*\* is this?" coming from Joe's cubicle.

Department grab bag coming up next week. Some of that porno stuff that ended up in your storage bin would be ideal for a grab bag gift.

I miss the aroma of your mid-morning oatmeal.

My Martha Stewart adventure was re-broadcast on the day following Thanksgiving. I'm now a re-run!

Merry Christmas.



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Working on behalf of Carbondale's Past, Present, and Future.

*Dr. S. Robert Powell*

is a member in good standing for 1998.

S. Robert Powell, President

James Burke, Corresponding Secretary

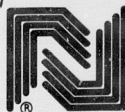
Eleanor Spellman, Recording Secretary

Joseph Pascoe, Treasurer

David Dottle, Membership Secretary

NATIONAL EDUCATION CORPORATION  
RETIREMENT PLAN

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## Statement

October 1, 1996 - December 31, 1996

S. R. POWELL  
RD 1 BOX 40  
CARONDALE PA 18407

Social Security Number: 198-34-0586

Date of Hire: 03/27/1995

Date of Birth: 12/12/1943

Plan Entry Date: 03/27/1996

Vested Percent: 0%

## Account Information

This space is for National Education Corp's personalized message.

### BALANCE

Beginning Balance	\$175.66
Change This Period	\$1,222.61
Ending Balance	\$1,398.27
Vested Balance	\$1,118.59

### INVESTMENT SUMMARY

	Beginning Share Price	Beginning Share Balance	Beginning Market Value	Ending Share Price	Ending Share Balance	Ending Market Value
Putnam Income Fund	\$6.900	5.103	\$35.21	\$7.010	40.132	\$281.33
Putnam Global Growth Fund	\$11.110	3.181	\$35.34	\$10.820	26.298	\$284.54
Putnam Voyager Fund	\$17.550	2.016	\$35.38	\$16.120	17.032	\$274.56
Putnam S&P 500 Index Fund	\$15.700	2.224	\$34.92	\$17.010	16.718	\$284.37
National Education Corp. Stock	\$19.125	1.820	\$34.81	\$15.250	17.932	\$273.47
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$175.66</b>			<b>\$1,398.27</b>

### YOUR CURRENT INVESTMENT CHOICES (12/31/1996)

#### Investment

Putnam Income Fund	20%
Putnam Global Growth Fund	20%
Putnam Voyager Fund	20%
Putnam S&P 500 Index Fund	20%
National Education Corp. Stock	20%

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**PUTNAM INVESTMENTS**



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**Mrs. William R. Powell**

St. Rose of Lima Church, Carbondale, provided the setting Sept. 14 for the wedding of Pamela A. Roche, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Roche, 120 Canaan St., Carbondale, and William R. Powell, son of Mrs. Ann Powell, Box 27, Carbondale RD 1, and the late Russell T. Powell.

The Rev. Richard Cirba performed the 2:30 p.m. ceremony.

Christine Farrell, Carbondale, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Jennifer Steele, Bethlehem; Laura Powell and April Dodge, sisters of the bridegroom, Kristen Bednarczyk and Nicole Freno, all of Carbondale, and Missy Tenelly, Mount Cobb.

Junior bridesmaid was K'Sandre Powell, niece of the bridegroom, and flower girl was Morgan Veina, cousin of the bride, both of Carbondale.

Damian Rusin, Carbondale, was best man. Ushers were Pat McLaughlin, Paul Carachilo, Jason Veina and John Veina, cousins of the bride, Eric Farrell, brother-in-law of the bride, David Dodge, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, all of Carbondale.

Junior usher was Robert Ashby, nephew and godchild of the bride, and ring bearer was Russell Dodge, nephew of the bridegroom, both of Carbondale.

A reception was held at Genetti Manor, Dickson City.

The bride is a graduate of Sacred Heart High School, Carbondale, and received a bachelor's degree in accounting from Marywood College. She is an accountant at Diversified Records Services, West Pittston.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Carbondale Area High School. He is self-employed as owner of Powell's Construction, Carbondale.

Following a Caribbean cruise to Bermuda, the couple resides in Carbondale.



Sheryl W. Gross  
7 Dorchester Street  
Huntington Station, NY 11746

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September 5, 1997

Dear Robert —

It's September. You know what that means? It means you & I met 30 years ago. Can you? September 1967 is John Houston's (the late John Houston's) French poetry class.

Happy Anniversary. Hope I'll hear from you - or maybe even see you one of these days.

I'm afraid I haven't been very well: chest pains but apparently it wasn't a heart thing. I've had lots of rest (2 1/2 months out of work) & it seems to be a gastrointestinal thing. Something about a hiatal hernia with acid escaping from my stomach & making my esophagus spasm out. At least that's the theory. Sahy drugs to control the acid & feeling better. But it was pretty debilitating.

Now. Don't you feel sorry for me? Don't you think you should let me know how you are? I know you

have a good job + new friends and all —  
but 30 years.?

Other than that, things are okay. Still  
employed + making a decent salary (got full  
pay for 9 weeks of disability). Cassandra is  
13 - slowed down a lot but she's hanging in.  
My mother seems to be doing fine in  
Florida.

Made a lot of improvements to my house —  
all new windows - even basement. New door.  
New kitchen. redid driveway with belgium  
blocks. Planning to convert my second  
bedroom + get a computer.

haven't been getting around much. Lucky  
I didn't get sick last year. But my friend the  
(ex) soap star went to Hollywood to become  
a star in January so I'm not following her  
around.

Any plans to come to New York? Did you  
meet Janice this summer.

Got a solicitation for an I.L. Master Card  
the other day. Seems like a million years  
ago, Dr. Powell. But it was 30.

Hope to hear from you soon.

Love,

Mary



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**EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS**

Responsible Party:  
POMELL, SROBERT  
RD 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

Provider:  
HODERMAN, JEFFREY A  
HODERMAN ORTHOPAEDIC GROUP  
141 SALEM AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-2724

Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 60227000  
Package #: BAS545

Claim #: 9750010148

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198540556-00

DATE PROCESSED: 10/29/97  
DATE PRINTED: 11/04/97

Date of Service	Diag.   Prec.   No.   Code	Description of Service	Fee Charged	Amount Allowed (CD)	Not Allowed	Deduct.   Copay   %	Amount	Copay	Patient Pays	HHO-H Resp.	
10/10/97	813.81	73110	WRIST XRAY	82.50	57.56 (1)	24.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.94	
10/16/97	813.81	73110	WRIST XRAY	82.50	57.56 (1)	24.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.94	
Totals:			165.00	115.12	49.88	0.00		0.00	0.00	49.88	

[1] - PROVIDER CONTRACTED DISCOUNT/WRITE-OFF. DO NOT PAY BILL FROM PROVIDER FOR THIS AMOUNT.

**COMMENTS**

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**EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS**

Responsible Party:  
POMELL, SROBERT  
RD 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

Provider:  
MARIAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL  
100 LINCOLN AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-2100

Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 60227800  
Package #: 845945

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198346586-00

Claim #: 378073

DATE PROCESSED: 10/30/97  
DATE PRINTED: 11/04/97

Date of Service	Diag   Proc   No.   Code	Description of Service	Fee Charged	Amount Not Allowed [CJ]	Allowed Fee	Deduct. Amount	Copay %	Copay Amount	Patient pays	HRD-N Resp.
10/17/97	959.3	305 LAB/HEMATOLOGY	39.00	39.00 [1]	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10/17/97	959.3	305 LAB/HEMATOLOGY	8.00	8.00 [1]	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10/17/97	959.3	730 EKG/EKG	110.50	16.57 [2]	93.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	93.93	0.00
10/17/97	959.3	985 PHO FEE/EKG	50.00	7.50 [2]	42.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	42.50	0.00
Totals:			207.50	71.07	136.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	136.43	0.00

[1] - NON-DESIGNATED LABORATORY PROVIDER.

[2] - PROVIDER CONTRACTED DISCOUNT/WRITE-OFF. DO NOT PAY BILL FROM PROVIDER FOR THIS AMOUNT.

**COMMENTS**

WHEN THIS IS NOT A BILL FROM

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70 North Main Street  
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EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS

Responsible Party:  
POMELL, SROBERT  
PO 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 60227000  
Package #: BASM45

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198540586-00

Provider:  
HUGESMAN, JEFFREY A  
HUGESMAN ORTHOPAEDIC GROUP  
161 SALEM AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-2726

Claim #: 9750010169

DATE PROCESSED: 10/30/97  
DATE PRINTED: 11/06/97

Date of Service	Diag.   Proc.   Service   No.   Code	Description of Service	Fee	Amount Not Charged	Allowed [CD]	Product   Allowed	Consp   Amount %	Consp Amount	Patient pays	HHO-N Resp.
10/21/97	813.81	25611	FRAC CARE/FOREARM/WRIST	1325.00	798.23 (1)	526.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	526.77
Totals:			1325.00	798.23		526.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	526.77

[1] - PROVIDER CONTRACTED DISCOUNT/WRITE-OFF. DO NOT PAY BILL FROM PROVIDER FOR THIS AMOUNT.

COMMENTS

\*\*\* THIS IS NOT A BILL \*\*\*

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## Cir·cas·sia

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### Cir·cas·sia (sər-kāsh'ə, -ē-ə)

A historical region of southeast European U.S.S.R. on the northeast coast of the Black Sea north of the Caucasus Mountains. It was ceded to Russia by the Ottoman Turks in 1829.

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## Circassian walnut

### Circassian walnut *noun*

A type of English walnut, patterned with swirls and curves in shades of brown or with occasional black streaks, used for veneer and cabinetwork.

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*no - just the bed*  
The bedroom suite in Mom's  
room - Circassian Walnut.



12/10/97 - "Outstanding"

said Paul Warner of SRP's  
Christmas display above  
his desk at ICS.

When P.W. returned the  
empty Canning jar,  
he attached this note:

Thank You  
(4 the blueberry  
conserves)  
Make more!

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POWELL S ROBERT  
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CARBONDALE

PA 18407

Policy Number

RPA 53-717-68 3

Effective Date

12/12/96

Not valid more than six  
months from effective date

EA-135 REV 1-85

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Name & address  
of agency or  
office issuing  
this card

GERALD PRICE INS AGCY INC  
59 SALEM AVE  
CARBONDALE

PA 18407

Applicable with respect to the following Motor Vehicle

93 CHEV

Year Make

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Vehicle Identification Number

*Robert A. Kern*  
Authorized Representative

SEE IMPORTANT MESSAGE ON REVERSE SIDE

HOLD AT AN ANGLE TO VIEW WATER MARK

[Card from my co-workers] 12-12-1997

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Robert, break  
you are a  
great at and a  
very happy birthday  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy  
happy birthday  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy

Happy Birthday  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy  
happy birthday  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy

Hey Robert -  
Chase that crap away  
and have a great  
birthday!!  
Jackie

Robert.  
Hope it's a terrific year  
for you. I - honor of your birthday.  
I'm having my car washed, waxed,  
and vacuumed for the next inspection!

HAPA-HAPA  
BIRTHDAY!  
-AND-



Robert speak a few  
words on your  
birthday

Robert -  
Take advantage of this special  
time to clean up your work  
area a little bit. (There are  
branches on top of your  
cabinet.) I have hay fever,  
you know

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Eleneyza  
Manner

Robert -  
Wishing you another  
day of celebration...  
I wish I will have had  
some of them too. Donna

Happy B-Day  
Robert. - MATTIE NEXT YEAR  
BEING 40. SO DO  
LUCKY YOU!  
MIKE'S

Robert -  
A birthday wish  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy  
happy birthday  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy

HAVE AN  
EGGCELLENT  
DAY.  
Sending special  
thoughts and wishes  
to a very special someone.



MBP

Robert -  
You're waving -  
in a day, you must be...  
Happy Birthday  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy

Robert -  
Happy Birthday  
to you, healthy  
in a age, healthy

Happy Birthday!  
Patte  
Cheryl

Have a  
Great Birthday!  
Liz

To the  
world's only  
biotic ad. for.  
have a happy  
and healthy  
birthday.  
Birtessa  
Birtessa



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From: Lakeariel <Lakeariel@aol.com>  
Return-path: <Lakeariel@aol.com>  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com  
Date: Tus, 16 Dec 1997 19:30:05 EST  
Subject: Alive and well  
Message-ID: <30fcedaa.34971d0f@aol.com>  
X-Status: Forwarded  
X-Mailer: Inet\_Mail\_Cut (IMOV11)

12/16

Robert,

Thanks so much for the update. I had no idea that Paul Marinaro left. I bet that was some farewell party.

Joe Rutledge has been filling me in with some of the scoop (Debbie leaving, etc.), but he said I have to see him in person to get the rest. And he's still trying to send me smut, I think, but I can't unzip his files. Just as well.

All is well here. Vince & I got a beautiful 8 ft. Christmas tree--so tall and straight, I want to spend every free minute looking at it and smelling it. The Christmas season is so different here--rarely do I see plastic Santas and blinking reindeer and all the tacky decorations from home. Lots of white lights and candles, and not a drop of snow.

So, I've got to run, but send everyone up there my best. Have a very merry Christmas, and I hope you have a few days off in between.

I'll keep in touch.  
Colleen

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From: JJJCCarter <JJJCCarter@aol.com>  
Return-path: <JJJCCarter@aol.com>  
To: srobertpowell@JUNO.COM  
Date: Tue, 16 Dec 1997 17:14:07 EST  
Subject: merry merry  
Message-ID: <8086bdd0.3496fd31@aol.com>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Inet\_Mail\_Out (IMOV11)

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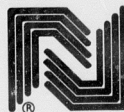
janice

~~~~~

dear robert, i have just received your holiday greeting. your tree  
sounds  
beautiful, as does your apple decoration. yui are very talented as we  
both  
know. the fire[place is ours in the family room. makes a great backdrop  
for  
those perfcet family photos. johnny and i just returned from the opryland  
hotel, where he was a guest speaker at the national entymology  
convention.. i  
cant say theat i wass impressed by the mamloth size of a country  
christmas. i  
do have a good friend from paducah who lives there, so she showed me the  
nashville of tasteful southern homes and wonderful shops. i am afraid my  
children lose outon the traditional baking at christmas..it is something  
i  
just don;t have the talent or patience to do. ii hope your arm is  
healing. i  
cannot imagine a cast for a day much less for weeks. no other news here..  
love, janice

NATIONAL EDUCATION CORPORATION  
RETIREMENT PLAN

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# Statement

October 1, 1997 - November 5, 1997

S. R. POWELL  
RD 1 BOX 40  
CARBONDALE PA 18407

Social Security Number: 198-34-0586  
Date of Hire: 03/27/1995  
Date of Birth: 12/12/1943  
Plan Entry Date: 03/27/1996

## Account Information

### BALANCE

Beginning Balance	\$5,589.96
Change This Period	\$769.44
Ending Balance	\$6,359.40

### YOUR CURRENT INVESTMENT CHOICES (11/05/1997)

Investment	
Putnam Income Fund	20%
Putnam Global Growth Fund	20%
Putnam Voyager Fund	20%
Putnam S&P 500 Index Fund	20%
Putnam Money Market Fund	20%

## INVESTMENT SUMMARY

	Beginning Share Price 10/01/1997	Beginning Share Balance 10/01/1997	Beginning Market Value 10/01/1997	Ending Share Price 11/05/1997	Ending Share Balance 11/05/1997	Ending Market Value 11/05/1997
Putnam Income Fund	\$7.140	142.836	\$1,019.85	\$7.120	166.489	\$1,185.40
Putnam Global Growth Fund	\$12.990	84.572	\$1,098.59	\$12.430	97.715	\$1,214.60
Putnam Voyager Fund	\$20.090	56.886	\$1,142.83	\$20.090	65.088	\$1,307.62
Putnam S&P 500 Index Fund	\$21.970	51.962	\$1,141.61	\$21.880	59.251	\$1,296.41
Putnam Money Market Fund	\$1.000	1,187.090	\$1,187.08	\$1.000	1,355.370	\$1,355.37
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$5,589.96</b>			<b>\$6,359.40</b>

## Account Information

October 1, 1997 - November 5, 1997

### SOURCE OF MONEY SUMMARY

	Contributions This Quarter	Contributions Year-To-Date
Employee Pre Tax	\$651.71	\$3,411.23
Employer Match	\$162.93	\$852.80
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$814.64</b>	<b>\$4,264.03</b>

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# EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS

Responsible Party:  
POMELL, SROBERT  
RD 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

Provider:  
ROGERMAN, JEFFREY A  
ROGERMAN ORTHOPEDIC GROUP  
1515 E. 1ST AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-2724

Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 6127700  
Package #: BAS045

Claim #: 9734311921

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198540586-00

DATE PROCESSED: 12/15/97  
DATE PRINTED: 12/15/97

Date of Service	Diag./Proc. No.   Code	Description of Service	Fee Charged	Amount Not Allowed [CD]	Deduct.   Allowed [CD]	Copay	Amount   2	Copay	Patient Pays	HMO-N Resp.
10/31/97	813.81	73110 WRIST XRAY	82.50	57.56 [1]	24.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.94
Totals:			82.50	57.56	24.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.94

[1] - PROVIDER CONTRACTED DISCOUNT/WRITE-OFF. DO NOT PAY BILL FROM PROVIDER FOR THIS AMOUNT.

## COMMENTS

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# EXPLANATION OF BENEFITS

Responsible Party:  
POMELL, SROBERT  
RD 1  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407

Provider:  
MARIAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL  
100 LINCOLN AVE  
CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
(717) 282-2100

Group Name: ICS  
Group #: 60227000  
Package #: NBS945

Claim #: 419896

Patient Name: POMELL, SROBERT  
Id Number: 198340586-00

DATE PROCESSED: 12/19/97  
DATE PRINTED: 12/22/97

Date of Service	Diag. No.	Proc. Code	Description of Service	Fee Charged	Amount Allowed	Net Allowed	Fee Allowed	Deductible	Copay %	Copay Amount	Patient Pays	HHO-N Resp.
12/02/97	V54.8		250 PHARMACY	17.00	12.02	[1]	4.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.98
12/02/97	V54.8		258 DRUGS/IV SOLUTIONS	153.81	108.74	[1]	45.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	45.07
12/02/97	V54.8		259 DRUGS/OTHER	45.50	32.17	[1]	13.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.33
12/02/97	V54.8		270 MED-SUR SUPPLIES	313.00	221.27	[1]	91.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	91.73
12/02/97	V54.8		320 DX X-RAY	116.00	82.01	[1]	33.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	33.99
12/02/97	V54.8		320 DX X-RAY	50.00	35.35	[1]	14.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.65
12/02/97	V54.8		360 OR SERVICES	835.00	590.30	[1]	244.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	244.70
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## COMMENTS

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From: Wweinstein <Wweinstein@aol.com>  
Return-path: <Wweinstein@aol.com>  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com  
Date: Mon, 22 Dec 1997 14:29:36 EST  
Subject: Re: Merci beaucoup.  
Message-ID: <7a1238b5.349ebfa3@aol.com>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Inet\_Mail\_Out (IMOV11)

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In a message dated 97-12-22 09:34:09 EST, you write:

<< Subj: Merci beaucoup.  
Date: 97-12-22 09:34:09 EST  
From: srobertpowell@juno.com (S. R. Powell)  
To: wweinstein@Aol.com

THE COMPLETE ILLUSTRATED HOLISTIC HERBAL is wonderful! I love it. I don't think I realized it until I saw the book, but I have been looking for just such a book for many years. It fulfills a need. Almost immediately, I shall begin producing tinctures, elixirs, poultices, and salves.

Your polarity therapy card/flyer is very nicely done. It tells the potential client everything he or she needs to know in a succinct and very uncluttered way.

My nephew is arriving in Carbondale on Sunday, December 28th, for a week's visit. We have decided to wait until he arrives to celebrate Christmas. I am organizing a welcome home/holiday dinner on Sunday the 28th at about 2 o'clock. In the event you'll not be skiing somewhere in the Alps or lounging about on some tropical beach, possibly your schedule is such that you can join us? Come for the weekend if you can.

>>

Dear SRP:

I knew you'd love the book, to tell the truth, but I was triply pleased to have it verified. Does it seem odd, but I'd like to say thank you for being so happy with the gift. (If you can spare any tinctures, let me know....)

I will keep your invite in mind, because my Xmas travel plans -- to Maine

-- were cancelled by the unfortunate and immediate need to vacate when I am living, by the end of the year! So this is occupying my time at the moment.

But if I should find a place, and I can squeeze in a visit -- probably with Andrea -- I will.

Thank you, too, for your kind words about the polarity brochure. It took my five months to tinker with the copy, and the response has been uniformly positive.

Best wishes for the season.

With affection,

Bill



**Robert Powell**


**From:** Jeff Hoar  
**To:** everyone  
**Subject:** Thanks!  
**Date:** Tuesday, December 23, 1997 8:53AM

Thank you very much for the gift certificate. I can use it to fool my wife into thinking I'm doing something nice for her.

I hope that you all have an enjoyable holiday season. You are the best group of folks that anyone could hope to work with.

I also hope that I don't have any spelling errors.


Thanks again.

**Robert Powell**

**From:** Mike Pavese  
**To:** editors  
**Subject:** Happy Holidays  
**Date:** Tuesday, December 23, 1997 1:29PM

Thanks for the funny Dilbert card and the movie tickets. I appreciate the gift, but working with such a fine staff every day is gift enough.

Have a good holiday.

**Robert Powell**

**From:** Mike Pavese  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Cc:** Jeff Hoar  
**Subject:** Lanscaper  
**Date:** Wednesday, December 24, 1997 10:38AM

Thanks for your good work and good humor in getting out the Lanscaper manuscripts. I really appreciate your extra effort.

Have a good holiday.

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ID Number: 198340586

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Patient: S R POWELL

Claim Number: 47353042347

Date: 12/24/97

Provider: P JOSEPH PERROTTI DMD  
(000171571)

PROCEDURE DESCRIPTION PROCEDURE CODE (NUMBER OF SERVICES) *TOOTH DESCRIPTION*	SERVICE DATE(S)	PROVIDER'S CHARGE	ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT PAID	AMOUNT NOT PAID	REMARKS
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PROPHYLAXIS ADULT 01110	(001) 12/15/97	32.00	32.00	32.00	.00	
TOTALS		46.00	46.00	46.00	.00	

These services were performed by a Participating Provider. To avoid out-of-pocket expenses, continue to use Participating Providers.

The Provider has been paid the amount shown in the AMOUNT PAID column.

PATIENT SUMMARY FOR:

Patient Name: S R POWELL

Identification Number: 198340586(001)

Benefit Period: 01/01/97 - 12/31/97 Coverage: Dental

Group Number: 018615-000

For this benefit period, \$135.00 has been applied to your \$1,000.00 individual program dollar maximum.



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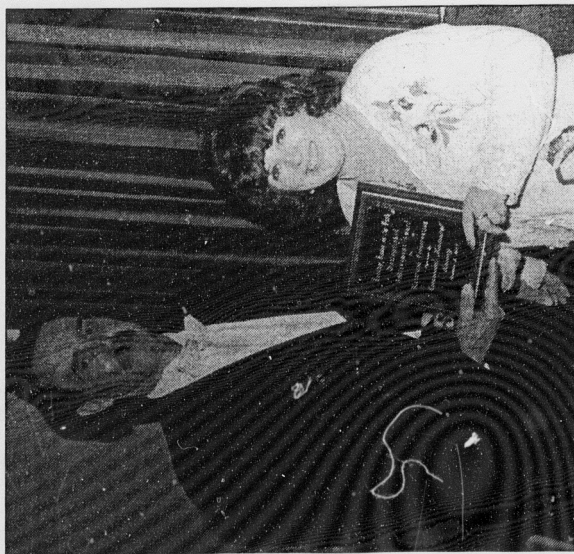
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**HISTORICAL SOCIETY AWARD** - S. Robert Powell (president, Carbondale Historical Society) recently presented a Distinguished Achievement Award to Darlene Bednarczyk (Heritage House on the Park) for her extensive restoration work on her Heritage House building. (News photo by Larry Gabriel Jr.)



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**HISTORICAL SOCIETY HONOR** - S. Robert Powell (president, Carbondale Historical Society) presents Distinguished Achievement Award to Tony Talerico for his restoration work on his building on Dundaff Street. (News photo by Larry Gabriel Jr.)



**HISTORICAL SOCIETY AWARD** - S. Robert Powell (president, Carbondale Historical Society) presents Distinguished Achievement Award to Bill Wallis, Jeff Wallis and Bob Wallis for the restoration work done on Wallis Building on Main Street. (News photo by Larry Gabriel Jr.)

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Juno e-mail printed Thu, 14 May 1998 11:58:18 , page 1

From: Paul Warner <p-w@rocketmail.com>  
Return-path: <p-w@rocketmail.com>  
To: srobertpowell@Juno.com  
Date: Thu, 25 Dec 1997 11:55:25 -0800 (PST)  
Subject: Lakeariel: Alive and well  
Message-ID: <19971225195525.4862.rocketmail@attach1.rocketmail.com>  
X-Status: Read

Hello.

12/25

It does seem that Debbie Johnson left before Colleen, but I haven't heard anything about Debbie Silvestrini leaving.

Joe would probably be the one to know, though.

And, of course, if she were referring to Debbie J., a crackerjack proofreader like Colleen would have used the present perfect tense: "Debbie having left...", instead of "Debbie leaving..."

Seriously, I guess Colleen is letting the cat out of the bag. (I think she likes to do that.)

I apologize for being so tardy in my reply. Lately, I've been checking the ICS Juno account only when I'm expecting to receive something from an author or from some other project-related contact. (In fact, I'm starting to use my <p-w@rocketmail.com> address even for those types of messages.)

More and more, it seems I'm relying on Juno just as a backup address and as an address for receiving automatic mailings.

Because I want to get to your messages as soon as possible, please consider using this address instead of my Juno account.

You're probably reading this on Monday, so I hope you had a nice holiday, and thanks for forwarding Colleen's message.

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DO YOU YAHOO!?

Get your free @yahoo.com address at <http://mail.yahoo.com>

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[also from Natalie

a plate  
of

nut &

popping seed

roll slices]

Merry Christmas

876-3862

Natalie Pezak

[for you]

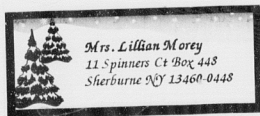
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Dear Robert,



Season's Greelings  
And every good wish for  
A new Year of happy days  
Your friend,  
Lillian

Thanks for check  
and your letter on Bart Pals  
as Ralph always like him  
so he'll get my vote. Always  
glad to hear from you.

[poultry friend]

Dec. 1997



May the beauty of  
the Season  
be with you  
all through the year

Mary Z.  
Hobbs

[Mary Zollbrecht]  
a Grimsel cousin

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Wishing you



a World of Peace

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Bob



Wishing you all the old-fashioned  
joys of the Season

Craig

[poultry friend]

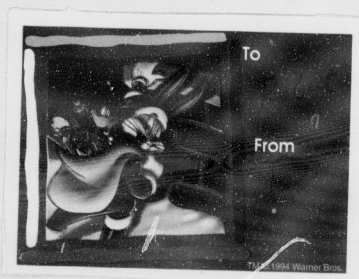


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a chocolate  
Candy

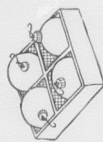
[Kim Kern, a fellow  
editor]



a chocolate  
Candy

[from Mike  
Pavese,  
Managing  
Editor]

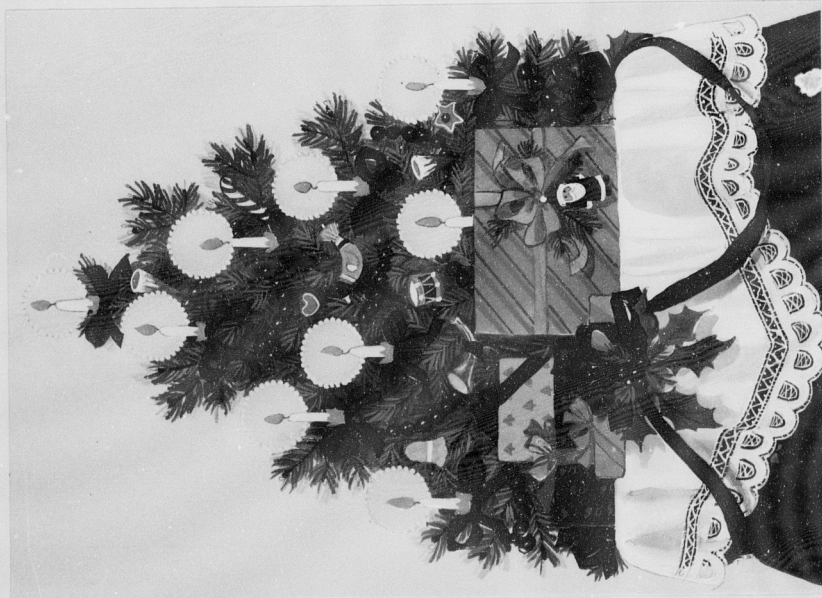
Robert,



Best Wishes for  
a bright and  
Happy Christmas  
Dell

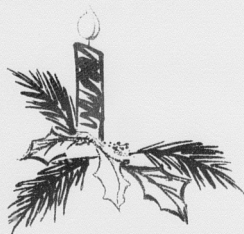
[Debbie Silvestrini -  
best top publisher]

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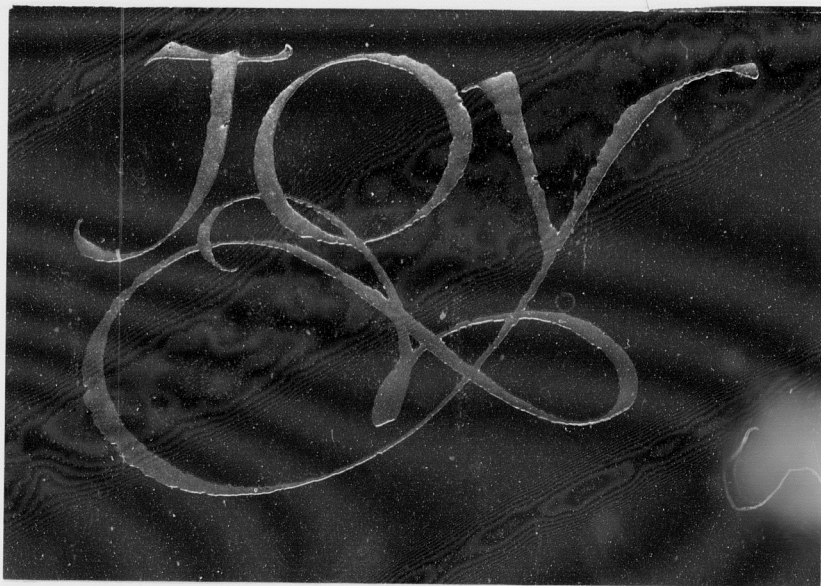
Robert ~



[two bundles of  
asparagus - sewed  
on 12-28-97]







Robert,

*All our moments...*

*All our days...*

*May our hearts ring out His praise!*

*Have A Joy-Filled Christmas*  
*Thanks for the "beauty of nature" that you*  
*bring to my life at work.*

*Merry Christmas - Ginger*

"When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy."

MATTHEW 2:10

*[Ginger Soak -*  
*Permissions Editor]*

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Robert

Best wishes for  
good health, good luck,  
good cheer, and  
happiness, not

just today but  
every day all year.

Sincerely,  
Joe

- a "Chicken" tie -  
from England

[ Joe Pascoe ]

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To Bob

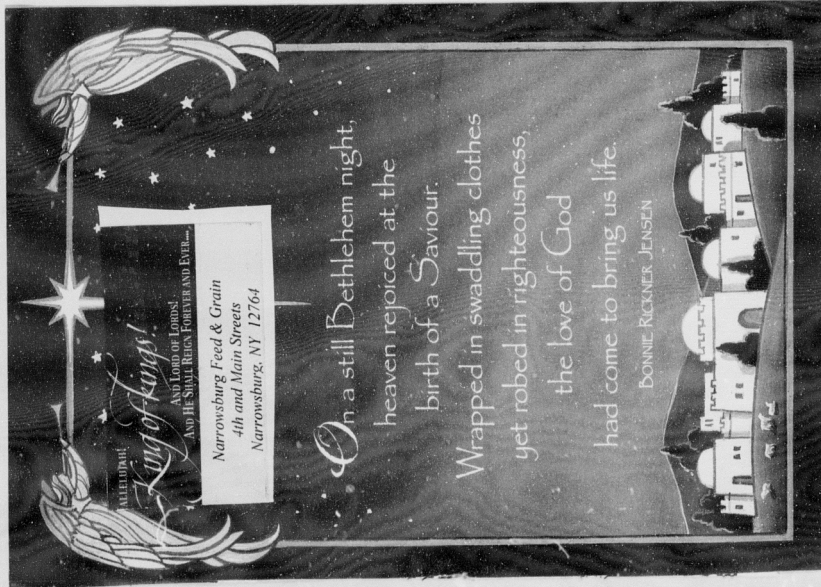
Warmest greetings of the Season  
and every good wish for the  
Coming Year

Merry Christmas from SAL  
and twin hens (KATIE & JOSE)

[poetry friend]

SAL L. RUFFINO  
1700 CASSEL DRIVE  
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On a still Bethlehem night,  
 heaven rejoiced at the  
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 Wrapped in swaddling clothes  
 yet robed in righteousness,  
 the love of God  
 had come to bring us life.

DONNIE RICKNER JENSEN

With  
 grace



The grace of God

was demonstrated through

the gift of Jesus—

our hope, love, joy, and peace.

With

May Your Christmas Be Filled

With His Wonderful Blessings

Bill Warner

Al

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Norma

John

Your friends at

Narrowsburg Feed & Grain

Cathy

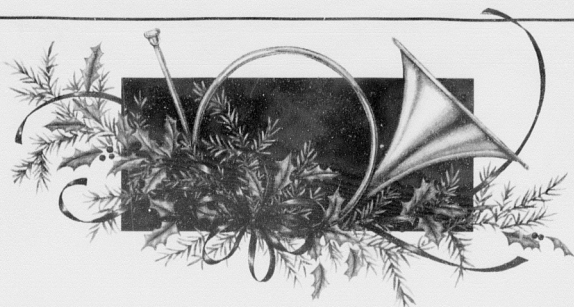
Janice

PV

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace  
 as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope..."  
 ROMANS 15:13 NIV

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I buy my poultry feed from NF+G.



555x

## S E A S O N ' S      G R E E T I N G S

*The ICS Executive Staff wants to take this opportunity to "Thank You" for all the hard work and dedication each of you has given to our Company throughout the year. To say the least, it has been a challenging year, and while improving our Company, we have sustained our position of leadership in the home study industry. During 1997, we have converted to a new computer platform, acquired our first foreign language school, and introduced over twenty new products.*

*As a worldwide company, we are reaching more people and touching more lives than ever before, and together with our new parent, Harcourt Brace & Company, we will have even more opportunity to create the kind of education company that will prepare us for the challenges of the new year and the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. There are a lot of exciting challenges in front of us as we continue to transition our company into a more dynamic education and training services provider, and we can't think of a better team to make that vision come true, than the people at ICS.*

*As the year comes to a close, and this joyous season approaches, we send warmest holiday greetings to you and your family, with best wishes throughout the coming year.*

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

I wish you a  
most happy New-  
year (1998).

Again, I thank  
you.

As ever,

Jim Burke

6110 School Street  
Chadds, PA 18807-  
2949

Dec. 28, 1997

Dear Robert and  
Donald,

I thank you for  
the delicious dinner,  
gift, and fellowship.

The visit was  
highlighted by  
Donald Jr. I was  
most happy to see  
him.

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Juno e-mail printed Mon, 29 Dec 1997 11:06:33 , page 1

From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: Burke@K12CA.com  
Subject: Financial windfall  
X-Status: New

I am your twelfth cousin, three times removed. You may have heard of me, but we have never met.

Over the years, I have amassed a substantial fortune, mostly through means honorable. I am now in my twilight years and have decided to disperse my holdings among my "cousins in America."

Go at once to the corporate headquarters of Amalgamated Bank Limited of New Dehli, present valid identification papers to the head of commercial investments, and you will be presented "with a small present" from you long-lost Uncle Max.

Best regards to President and Mrs. Eisenhower.

WPR: Uncle Max

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NO. 5101  
Dec 29 1997

RECEIVED FROM Robert Powell  
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1025 Oak St. 12515

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Amount Paid \$ 75  
Balance Due \$ 0 Julianne Wylam

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Juno e-mail printed Thu, 14 May 1998 11:58:26 , page 1

From: EWMontello <EWMontello@aol.com>  
Return-path: <EWMontello@aol.com>  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com  
Date: Wed, 31 Dec 1997 12:50:13 EST  
Subject: Re: Ho! Ho! Ho!  
Message-ID: <dc17e697.34aa85d8@aol.com>  
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12/31

Hello powells! what a nice surprise to have mail waiting. Its been a great Christmas holiday with David home for a few days and , in the last couple of days, lots of snow. Although we missed the biggie the lake effect has given us a total of about 10 inches so far.

It'll be a quiet New Years Eve...just the way the old poops like it. Friends are coming over for some bridge and dinner. Dessert will be the Winter/Russell plum pudding Peg sent. Glad to hear that the torte arrived safely and that Aunt Helen enjoyed th "fancy dessert". Its hard to think of something to send ....

I'm sure Peg told you that we all enjoyed seeing the famous Powells with Martha Stewart ...When are you bringing you chickens back to Rochester? Let us know.

Wish everyone a happy New Year for us.

Liz

From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: EWMONTELL@AOL.COM  
Subject: Ho! Ho! Ho!  
X-Status: New

The creme de menthe torte arrived safely Mom was the official opener of the box and not long after it was opened, she suggested we all have a piece of "the fancy cake." We did so. Very nice. Thank you.

We celebrated Christmas on the 28th, when Donald's son arrived. Huge Christmas tree--touched the ceiling. There were nine of us for dinner: sausage and oyster loaf, roast pork, Yorkshire pudding, asparagus, three breads made by Peg (your mother's wonderful nut bread, cranberry bread, brown bread), hermits (made by DWP II and SRP), lovely Darjeeling tea. Mom's linen, china, and crystal; a table cloth that belonged to Aunt Maggie. The holiday was perfect.

Happy New Year to you and Sam.

Robert



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**Provider:**  
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 MOGHEMAN ORTHOPAEDIC GROUP  
 161 SALEM AVE  
 CARBONDALE, PA 18407  
 (717) 282-2724

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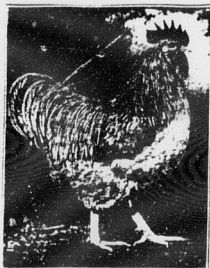
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[SRP-P.6]

## FROM THE SECRETARY:

Here I am a little bit late with the News Letter again. But at least it is coming out in October.

I was visiting on the phone with Larry Dye from Ponca City, Oklahoma. He told me that Bill Wright, a member of our club, from Blackwell, Oklahoma had passed away. Bill was a good friend of Larry's and either the Grandfather or Uncle of Afton Shields one of our junior members. Bill raised Standard Buff Orps. He and Larry were together on them and with Bills passing Larry took over some of Bill's birds. As a club we want to express our sincere sympathy to Bill's family for their loss.

Our Club President, Don & Charlotte Chandler, are getting used to their new home in Newport, Tennessee at 201 English Mountain Road 37821. Their Phone number is 423-625-3191. They had to farm most of their birds out while they get some pens built. They may have them by now. When I last talked to Don he was hot on the trail of some of his students that were going to help build them for a project school. This time he is going for one large pen with partitions instead of so many small ones. He was sad to say he is going to give up raising sheep.

I hope a lot of you are going to come to Tucson, Arizona, November 15th & 16th for our annual meet and meeting. The club has about \$100.00 in trophies and awards for our members at that show. There are trophies for best standard Orp, best

bantam Orp, and best Orp by a junior. The Junior trophy was donated by Frank Takahashi. Frank makes all our trophies and does a darned good job.

The club also gives \$10.00 for the best of breed standard and bantam Orp, and \$5.00 for the best of variety in the other three varieties both standard and bantam. Awards are for members only.

We have four or five members from this area that are going. There is a junior member here that has some good buff Orp bantams and they will be there.

John Monaco tells me the District 8 meet for the club will be with the ABA National in Roseville, California on January 24th & 25th, 1998. He has also placed the California State meet with the Humbolt Poultry Fanciers in Ferndale for February 1998.

## 1998 & 1999 ELECTIONS:

There is a ballot for election of Officers, District Directors, and State Representatives in this issue of the ALL-Orp. As you can see there are a lot of vacancies. We need to have them filled. If any of you would take one of these jobs PLEASE write your name and State or District on the ballot. The ballots should be returned to our election commissioner, Frank Takahashi 1783 E. 6450 So. Ogden, Utah 84405 in the envelope provided by November 1 1997. That will make it possible to have them counted at our annual meeting and announce the results there. I am still pleading for someone to take the Secretary / Treasurer job. When

I took this six years ago I only took it on an interim basis until someone else would volunteer. So far no luck.

One reason I am late with the ALL-Orp is that I have been making some runs for my birds. As most of you know I keep them in an old barn that was originally put together with square nails and wooden pegs over 100 years ago. However, the part I am using for my birds is lined on the inside. There was a 16 ft. wide corral, with an open end, in front of it. I got looking at it and thought if I moved the horse water trough over to the other end and closed off that end I could have a 50ft. by 16ft. run for my birds. There was a semi truck load of trash to get rid of, cross fences to build, access doors from the pens to the runs, and the water trough to move.

I have the trash moved, the doors built and two cross fences done. I plan to do two more cross fences and move the trough before the water goes out of the irrigation ditch on October 20. The horses won't drink out of the trough when there is water in the ditch any way. This will be the first time I have ever had runs for my birds. Some of them are 3 years old and never been on dirt. I have always fed them grass clippings once or twice a week during mowing season and thought that was enough. I hope this will help my birds even more. The access doors are 30" off the ground, I hope that will keep the skunks out. I plan to close the doors each night.



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# UNITED ORPINGTON CLUB BALLOT

## 1998 & 1999 Cont.

STATE REPRESENTATIVES CONTINUED (Vote for your state only)

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Dick Bolanger	-----	Edna Carey	-----
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Koralyn Kibbee	-----	Ken Lawniczak	-----
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→ Pennsylvania		Washington	
S. Robert Powell	-----	Tom Durgin	-----
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Oklahoma		<u>ELECTION COMMISSIONER</u>	
Jim Pollard	-----	Frank Takahashi	-----
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As you can see we have a lot of vacancies in both the State Reps. and Some Districts Directors. If you are going to have meets in your area you must have a Director or Representative to take charge and sponsor them. I know we have members in the following States that don't have a State Rep. Missouri, Maine, Kentucky, Minnesota, New Jersey, Ohio, Michigan, North Carolina, New York, Saskatchewan, Rhode Island, Oregon, and very probably many more that I missed. We need you folks to come forward.

If you would serve as a State or Province Rep Please Put your name in the space provided.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

State or Province \_\_\_\_\_

Be sure you have the consent of any write in you may submit. Those elected will serve for 1998 & 1999.

Please Return your ballot in the envelope provided to our election commissioner, Frank Takahashi 1783 E. 6450 So. Ogden, Utah 84405, by October 31, 1997. As stated in the By-Laws, two ballots for a Family Membership, and one for a Single Membership.

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ACCOUNT NUMBER	1273	15110-26816
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**CLOSING DATE**  
12/31/97

**TOTAL SHARES**

161.773

**VALUATION PRICE**

39 638

**VALUE OF SHARES**

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ACTIVITY FROM 01/01/97 TO 12/31/97

Date	Transaction description	Transaction amount (in U.S. dollars)	Deductions	Net amount	Price per share (in U.S. dollars)	Shares transacted	Balance held by us in your account
01/01/97	BALANCE FORWARD	8.47		8.47	23.304	363	161.303
01/17/97	DIVIDEND PURCHASE						161.666
03/13/97	SHARES TENDERED	25.00		25.00	28.409	.880	160.786
04/09/97	DIVIDEND PURCHASE	10.85		10.85	28.648	.379	161.165
07/14/97	DIVIDEND PURCHASE	10.88		10.88	35.576	.306	161.471
10/14/97	DIVIDEND PURCHASE	10.90		10.90	36.054	.302	161.773

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HARCOURT  
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EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN

Statement of Account for the Period 09/30/97 to 12/31/97

Account Activity	Fixed Income Fund	Fidelity Balanced Fund	Fidelity Equity Income Fund	Fidelity Contratfund	Fidelity Growth Company Fund	Templeton Foreign Fund	TOTAL
<b>Employee Savings</b>							
Opening Balance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Contributions							
Loan Payments				254.14	127.08	254.15	635.37
Net Gain/Loss							
Withdrawals				57.58	31.34	6.63	95.55
Loan Issues							
Transfers							
Prior Plan Transfer				2,543.76	1,271.88	2,543.76	6,359.40
Closing Balance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,895.48	\$1,430.30	\$2,804.54	\$7,090.32
<b>Company Contributions</b>							
Opening Balance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Contributions							
Loan Payments				\$0.83	25.42	50.82	127.07
Net Gain/Loss							
Withdrawals				.37	.04	.05	.46
Forfeitures							
Loan Issues							
Transfers							
Closing Balance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$51.20	\$25.46	\$50.87	\$127.53
Total Closing Balance	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,906.68	\$1,455.76	\$2,855.41	\$7,217.85

## Employee Information

S. ROBERT R. POWELL  
SSNO: 198-34-0566  
Division: 07  
Branch: 20

## Investment Elections

Fixed Income 0%  
Fidelity Balanced 0%  
Fidelity Equity Income 0%  
Fidelity Contratfund 40%  
Fidelity Growth Company 20%  
Templeton Foreign 40%  
\* Annualized

## Fund Performance

Prior 12 Months \*  
Quarter + 1.52 - 6.38 + 8.69  
+ 1.71 +23.74 +11.86  
+ 2.21 +30.10 +20.46  
- .95 +23.56 +19.67  
- 3.52 +19.50 +17.11  
- 6.83 + 6.65 +13.94

## Loan Information

Outstanding Principal Interest Rate  
\$0.00 0.00%

## Account Values

Before-Tax Account \$637.66  
After-Tax Account \$0.00  
Company Account \$127.53  
Rollover Account \$6,452.66  
Total Closing Balance \$7,217.85  
Plus Outstanding Loan \$0.00  
Total Vested Balance \$7,090.32  
Vested Percent 0%  
Contribution Rate 15.0%



### December 12, 1997

SRP born on this date in 1943, alas. Card from Peg received yesterday. Card today from everyone in the office. I feel good and am in good health. That's the important thing.

When I arrived at my desk this morning, there was a box of ornaments from Paul Warner for "the tree" (my Concolor Fir" arrangement in the Chinese vase); also a lovely ornament from Bev Petrini for "the tree." SRP, as well, had with him three ornaments: "the man in the moon," the ear of corn, and the strawberry.

It's wonderful—and not at all surprising—how my co-workers are getting involved in my Christmas display—which is extraordinarily beautiful, I must say.

Put about 60 "extra special" eggs into the incubators last night: Black Orpington, Partridge Rock, Modern Game, American Game. With any luck, there should be some new check on or about January 2, 1998!

Carl Albright, Scott Shemo, Liz Curicani, and I went to Pizza Hut for lunch. Carl's idea. Very nice. The three of them decided to treat me to lunch, as a birthday present.

### December 13, 1997

After I had completed my morning chores in the barn, had tea, and then did some more cleaning in the barn (about 1 P.M.), I drove over to Elkdale to visit Alvin and Sandy Seamans and their son Clyde. The announced purpose of my visit was to make sure that I didn't owe Clyde any money from cutting the Elkdale Cemetery late in the summer or early fall.

I didn't. Visited with the Seamans family for about three hours. They are nice people. I like them and they like me.

The pair of Narragansetts that I gave Alvin early in the fall "ran away." They joined up with the wild turkeys in the neighborhood. Alvin has seen the tom running with the wild ones but he has not seen the hen. My response to that news: neutral.

Alvin seems to have arrived at a cynical state. It's not an attractive state to be in. He seems defeated/beaten.

I took my leave when it was time for them to go out to the barn and do the evening chores. We wished each other Merry Christmas. Alvin (as I got into my truck): "Suppose we won't see you again till the spring."

### December 15, 1997

Last night I made a pomander out of an orange and some whole cloves. Heavenly! I gently brushed the cat with it. The cat loved it. We now have a cat that is orange and clove scented! The pomander is now displayed on top of an upside down blue and white Chinese rice bowl on the bookcase above my desk at ICS. It is perfuming the air in the most wonderful way. When DWP II comes for Christmas, I will get him involved in making a couple more pomanders. Maybe one for his school teacher.

The fir Christmas "tree" in the "fish bowl" above my desk made it through the weekend in good order. My colleague, Paul Warner, posted the following "sign" below the "tree" on his side of the partition:

"There is a fellowship more quiet even than solitude, and which, rightly understood, is solitude made perfect."

**Robert Louis Stevenson** (1850-94), Scottish novelist, essayist, poet. Travels With a Donkey, "A Night Among the Pines" (1879).

A wonderful quotation. Paul and I understand each other very

well. He is a joy to be around and to work with.

A good hatch in the incubator: about 20 chicks, including at least seven Blue Orpingtons. I will put them into a brooder box tonight when I get home from ICS. All is well, very well, up in the barn. The birds are laying beautifully. Virtually no sickness of any kind.

### December 16, 1997

Very successful hatch in the incubator in my bedroom. Put the following chicks into a brooder box in my bedroom last night: 9 Orpingtons (hopefully Blue), 4 Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, 3 Minorca/Orpington crosses, 1 Modern Game, 2 standard Games (eggs laid by White hen, who has been with three males: White OEG, Silver Duckwing American Game, B. B. Red American Game).

Today is the day that the cast comes off my arm, hopefully. I can hardly wait. I will see Dr. Mogerman at 4:30 P.M.

### December 17, 1997

Dr. Mogerman removed the final cast yesterday afternoon. How wonderful to rediscover one's arm! The four holes from the pins have healed over nicely so I can get the arm wet without any worry

of water getting into the holes. The arm feels weak, not surprisingly. I have an Ace bandage and a half shell in which to wrap the arm to protect it during this final healing stage. (I have just had to stop typing and put on the half-bandage to diminish the muscle ache.)

Trip back to see Dr. Mogerman on December 30<sup>th</sup>.

DWP and I met today at 11:30 A.M. at the Historical Society with Jane Varcoe (Waymart Area Historical Society) and a group of ladies from Wayne County to formulate initial plans for the centennial observance of the closing of the D&H Canal. DWP and I will give papers at a symposium in October of next year.

Provisional candling of the sixty eggs that I put into the incubator about a week ago (evening of December 11) shows that fertility is high. It appears that many of the Partridge Rock eggs are fertile, which is somewhat surprising (many of the eggs are early eggs from pullets) and very good news. A second candling in three or four days will make it very clear what is fertile and what is not.

#### **December 18, 1997**

Gave blood at ICS today. My hemoglobin count was down a

bit, probably because of the arm surgery of recent weeks. The hemoglobin was at an appropriate level, however, and I was able to give blood.

Carbondale Public Library directors and staff annual Christmas dinner tonight at Pettinato's. We directors will "treat" the ten staff to dinner! It should be just the other way around.

Many of the Partridge Rock eggs in the incubator appear to be fertile—which is wonderful! I have not seen mating a single time in either of the Partridge Rock breeding pens, but it appears to be taking place. I switch the both breeding males about once a week. Offspring from either one will be grand, especially the Kreuger's Kluckers male that I acquired at the Cobleskill show.

My best adult Partridge Rock female has been ill for a couple of months. I was sure that she was going to die, but, alas, she appears to be making a complete recovery. In addition, I think she is gearing up to laying. Over the weekend I will move her into one of the breeding pens and keep my fingers crossed.

#### **December 22, 1997**

Here is the breakdown on the fertile eggs now in the



incubator: Modern Game (7), American Game (7), Black Orpington (12), Partridge Rock (13).

I am extremely happy that the Partridge Rock eggs are fertile. Only once—and that was in the course of this past weekend—have I seen mating in the Partridge Rock breeding pens. So mating has been going on on a regular basis. Tres bien. I hope that the Kreuger Kluckers' male is doing his share of fertilizing. He has several outstanding features that I would like to firmly establish in my line of Partridge Rocks: good red in the hackle, nice long back, nice head with moderately sized comb.

One of my superb old hens (banded with both a green band and a purple band) has recovered from what I thought would be a terminal illness. She has bee out in the "poultry hospital" by the pigeon coops so that her malady was isolated from the other birds. Not only has the superb old hen recovered completely, I believe that she is gearing up to start laying. On Saturday, I moved her into one of the breeding pens. With any luck, I will be able to get some fertile eggs out of her this winter/spring.

December 29, 1997

I have the distinct feeling that the new year has already begun.

We celebrated Christmas after DWP II arrived in town. He alternates holidays between his mother and his father. He arrived on the 29<sup>th</sup> which we declared Christmas Eve. When DWP I and II arrived at The Homestead, at about 2 P.M., I was in the process of baking a recipe of Hermits (Aunt Eleanor's mother's recipe). The house was filled with their heavenly aroma.

In the late afternoon, we three went off to get a Christmas tree. We did so in the woods at the edge of Decker's Field. On the way we carried some bales of hay to the Herefords, who are pastured in Decker's Field.

We located "the perfect tree" in good order. We all shared in sawing it down. DWP II and I dragged it home through the field. DWP I took a couple of photographs of the process.

In good order, we installed the tree in the front hall. To my great pleasure, the tree touched the ceiling. We decorated the tree.

Supper consisted of several hundred shrimp, Romaine lettuce leaves, and corn fritters with maple syrup for dessert.

Eight people for Christmas dinner, served at about 1:30 P.M.

on the 28<sup>th</sup>: Mom, DWP I and II, Cousin Peg, Joe Pascoe and his mother Rose, Jim Burke (his mother was not feeling well and was not able to join us), SRP. Menu: Sausage and oyster loaf as appetizer, served on Mom's square Noritake luncheon plates; the sausage and oyster loaf slice was arranged on a small Romaine leaf; also on the plate were a 4-inch long section of scallion leaf, a sprig of parsley, and a slice of lemon. On top of the loaf on each plate was spooned some of the orange-flavored oyster sauce that I made on 12/25.

Roast pork, Yorkshire pudding, gravy, whole fresh asparagus, three breads made by Cousin Peg (Aunt Louise's nut bread, cranberry bread, Betty's Brown Bread), red wine. Dessert was DWP's homemade tapioca pudding, Hermits, homemade (by DWP II and SRP) fruitcake, and Darjeeling tea. The meal was a grand success.

I was very pleased to observe that when the cookie/fruit cake plate was passed at dessert that DWP II took four Hermits. I made the cookies solely with him in mind.

We then withdrew to the living room and opened presents. Very cozy and everything that the

experience should have been. We all had a grant time.

Mom and Mrs. Pascoe enjoyed themselves, which was nice to see. Everything about the day was perfect. Very satisfying.

Over the weekend at one point I filled the second incubator with 42 choice eggs—mostly Partridge Rock, Black Orpington, Modern Game, American Game, Old English Game. Also gave an American Game bantam setter seven standard Wyandotte (White, Silver-Laced) eggs. These Wyandotte eggs are experiments: my Silver-Laced birds (excellent color but poor type) mated to Whites from Carl Harris (very good type). Some very good chicks could emerge from the cross.

The buff chicks from the Buff Minorca cockerel/Buff Orpington hen cross are growing nicely. They appear to be more Orpington than Minorca, which is fine, but I was hoping for "more Minorca than Orpington." It's still much too early to tell for sure.

Also at one point in the course of the past few days, maybe on 12/25, I broke-down the Black Orpington breeding pen and installed seven B. B. Red American Game bantam hens and one cock therein. Several of the hens are laying well. This coming Sunday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>, I will start to

collect American Game bantam eggs. It should not take very long to get a couple of dozen. They are very good birds and I must hatch a good number of chicks out now, when the hens are laying well, to make sure that I maintain the blood line.

There is a lot of weather-channel hysteria going on now about a possible winter storm. DWP II is anxiously hoping for lots of snow to play in and to ride his snowboard on. For his sake, I hope we get three feet of snow! I have on hand all the preparations necessary to make gingerbread cookies. Wouldn't that be the perfect undertaking for a snowbound day at home!

Now listening to Rachmaninoff's very beautiful Symphony No.2 in E Minor, with Leonard Slatkin conducting the Saint Louis Symphony orchestra.

I have done a preliminary ordering of my poultry papers for 1996; I will do the same for 1997 and then have them microfilmed.

#### **December 31, 1997**

As I drove to work this morning, an ice-laden tree (in the gorge on Route 247, just before it connects with Route 6) fell onto my truck! I can not believe that my truck's cab was not crushed by the blow or that the windshield

was not broken! It was an awful experience. I held the wheel and continued on. Behind me I could see, in my rear-view mirror, the tree across the road.

Preliminary description of damages: right windshield wiper torn off, radio antenna bent, external mirror on right side broken, a couple of dents on the right door and rear quarter section. Maybe more. I can't believe that I was able to continue on my way.

Phoned in a report to Price Insurance, and they will contact the insurance company. An agent will contact me in a couple of days. My policy is \$100 deductible.

Major winter storm on Monday night/Tuesday morning. We have about a foot of snow. Lots of tree damage due to ice and snow clinging to the branches. The power was off from about 1 A.M. to 5:30 A.M. on Tuesday. I have two incubators full of eggs at present: in one the eggs are at least two weeks along, in the other, about three or four days. The two-week plus embryos are very probably just fine; it's very "iffy" with the other eggs. I'll candle everything in a few days and that will tell the story.

DWP II is having a grand visit here. He is ecstatic about the snow. He has a snowboard with



him and he has been having a grand time on the hill to the barn. Yesterday he was very helpful with the snow shoveling and with feeding the Herefords. He and I plowed through the woods over to the cows and carried hay to them early in the day; we did the same at about 4:30 P.M.

This may be the first time that DWP II has seen so many snow-covered trees. He commented repeatedly on how beautiful the trees were, especially over the bridge and the haybarn in the woods across from the house.

He enlisted my help to construct an igloow/snowfort at the base of the hill by the first tee. It's quite a structure: a wooden roof and side walls made from some pieces of plywood that I had in the barn.

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incubator with the one-week old eggs stopped functioning in the middle of the night! It needs a new wafer, apparently. The eggs felt cold when I discovered the problem at about 6 A.M. It appears that the living embryos were not affected by this second incubator shut-down. I candled them last night and it seems that about 24 embryos are alive and well! Such tough creatures they are—even before they are hatched.

I am especially pleased to have these eleven new Partridge Rocks. My intention is to raise a large number of Partridge Rocks this year—100 would be fine. They are my favorite chicken. Maybe if I raise a large number of them that will be the stimulus I need to de-accession some of the other breeds that I now raise.

We have had several days of spring-like weather recently. What a blessing! From *Lancaster Farming*, I recently learned that some of the Amish farmers in Lancaster county have already begun to plow their fields! It's hard to believe that it was ten degrees below zero on Wednesday morning (I think it was). That brutal cold snap was followed with temperatures in the high 40's. It's time to start making preparations for the maple syrup season.

#### January 5, 1998

In spite of the 4-5 hour power failure on Tuesday, there was a good hatch in one of the incubators on January 2-3: 4 Old English Games (eggs from White hen, various males), 10 Black Orpingtons, 11 Partridge Rocks, 2 Modern Games. I am very pleased.

In addition, the one-week old eggs in the other incubator were not affected the power failure. To my horror, I discovered yesterday morning that the



### January 7, 1998

Seven years ago today was my last day at Elkdale! I like knowing that kind of fact. It helps one to put/to keep things in perspective.

These are the kinds of days that were so wonderful at Elkdale: warm enough to have the windows open in the middle of winter. We continue to be blessed with temperatures in the 50's—in the first week of January. Every warm day now puts us one day closer to spring!

Photo shoot at ICS today. SRP will appear as "the boss," I think, in some of the shots. All the world's a stage. There are no small parts, only small actors. Curtain up! It's for a Study Unit called *Developing Your Professional Image*. I hope it materializes, because I want to be able to list the experience in my always-growing list of "extra work done" for my next annual review, before my March 27 anniversary review. I started here in 1995. This March 27<sup>th</sup> will complete my third year.

This is a wonderful job for me and I love it. It has made/is making so many things possible.

DWP II's visit was enjoyable from start to finish. I gave it my best to institute as many home-and-hearth experiences as possible for his sake. As

he arrived at The Homestead on December 27<sup>th</sup>, I was (very consciously) deep I the throes of making Hermits; in the late afternoon we went out to the woods (back end of Decker's Field) and got a Christmas tree and put it up. On the 28<sup>th</sup>, we had the Holiday Dinner for Mom, Peg, DWP I and II, Joe Pascoe and his mother Rose, Jim Burke, and SRP. In the evening on the 29<sup>th</sup>, the snowstorm started—about a foot of snow. DWP II had a ball. On the 30<sup>th</sup>, we shoveled out (DWP I at the wheel of the jeep, DWP II and I with shovels in our hands). On the 31<sup>st</sup> (New Year's Eve), we had an elaborate shrimp dinner. On the 1<sup>st</sup>, we had a roast turkey dinner; in the afternoon DWP II and I constructed a snow fort/igloo on the fairway out the back door. On the 2<sup>nd</sup>, DWP II and I made gingerbread cookies; also made a trip to the thrift store in Carbondale for a look around. On the 3<sup>rd</sup>, DWP II and I "walked the fence" around the Herefords and made repairs as necessary; this took much of the afternoon. Just as we finished our walk in the woods, DWP I found us—repairing the fence where Joseph Henning's truck went over the bank on the Whitmore Road on 5 December at about 11:30 A.M.—and it was time (4:30 P.M.) for DWP II to

depart for his mother's house. My impression is that I spent a lot of quality time with DWP II during his week in Carbondale. He had a grand time, and so did I.

[Joseph Henning is a good guy. He is from Carbondale and his number is 282-1199.]

About a week ago, I borrowed several CD's from the Scranton Public Library. I have an enormous appetite for Broadway musicals and so I borrowed, without knowing the music at all, *Ziegfeld Follies*. All-star cast, including Fred Astaire, Lucille Ball, Fanny Brice, Judy Garland, Lena Horne, Gene Kelly, Red Skelton, Esther Williams, and Wiliam Powell. The film was produced to commemorate MGM's 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary and L. B. Mayer gave Arthur Freed carte blanche to create an all-star extravaganza to be entitled *Ziegfeld Follies*. (Freed had previously done *Meet Me in Saint Louis*, *On the Town*, and *Singin' in the Rain*.) *Ziegfeld Follies* is a series of skits and songs that show off Metro's stars to their best advantage.

Two of the numbers in the show are stupendous: "Limehouse Blues" (instrumental version here of music by Philip Braham, lyrics by Douglas Furber, copyright 1922; recorded here on July 3, 1944 in Cluver City, CA) and

"This Heart of Mine" (music by Harry Warren, lyrics by Arthur Freed, copyright 1944, vocals by Fred Astaire, recorded June 2, 1944 in Culver City, CA).

### January 8, 1998

Put 62 eggs (mostly Partridge Rock and Wyandotte) into the incubators last night; also 10 American Game bantam eggs under a setting Barred Wyandotte bantam hen. Transferred about 20 eggs (mostly standard Black Orpington and Partridge Rock) into the hatching incubator also.

The many chicks up in the barn are doing nicely. Some of the oldest ones are just about old enough to run with the old birds.

I will continue to hatch standard Partridge Rocks for the next couple of months. If I had 100 young Partridge Rocks, that would not be too many.

### January 9, 1998

Sent Rico Sebastianelli a fax today with a list of my wins on standard Partridge Rocks. Asked him to double-check my list. According to my calculations, I now qualify to be named an APA Master Breeder of Standard Partridge Rocks. If so, I will take out a full-page ad in the 1998 **APA YEARBOOK** and formally

announce that wonderful fact to the world.

**January 12, 1998**

Today is Dad's birthday—1913.

Today is also the day that I started to work for Wal-Mart in 1995. How long ago all that seems. These past three years at ICS have been wonderful.

Rico replied to my fax and said that I will be named an "APA Master Breeder of Standard Partridge Plymouth Rocks"; also I will receive a certificate made out as follows: "American Poultry Association Grand Master Exhibitor Award of Standard Partridge Plymouth Rocks to S. Robert Powell." Very nice.

Here is a draft (scrunched into two-column format) of my full-page ad (to be published in one column format) for the 1998 **APA YEARBOOK**:

## **S. Robert Powell**

R. D. 1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA  
18407-9706. 717-282-5197

**APA Master Breeder  
APA Grand Master  
Exhibitor**

## **Standard Partridge Plymouth Rocks**

**York County Poultry Fanciers'  
Show, October 27-28, 1990**

Champion American: Partridge  
Rock cockerel

**Eastern New York State Poultry  
Fanciers' Show, September 29,  
1991**

Reserve Champion Standard:  
Partridge Rock hen

**Rochester Poultry Association  
Show, October 6, 1991**

Reserve Champion Standard:  
Partridge Rock cockerel

**Pennsylvania Farm Show,  
January 8-13, 1994**

Reserve Champion Standard:  
Partridge Rock pullet

**Twin Tier Poultry Club Show,  
September 11, 1994**

Champion Standard: Partridge  
Rock hen

**Sussex County Poultry Fanciers'  
Show, April 22-23, 1995**

Champion Standard: Partridge  
Rock hen

**New York State Fair, August  
24—September 4, 1995**

Reserve Champion Standard:  
Partridge Rock hen



**Dutchess County Poultry  
Fanciers' Show, June 16, 1996**  
Champion Standard: Partridge  
Rock hen

**New York State Fair, August  
21—September 1, 1997**  
Champion American: Partridge  
Rock hen

**Eastern New York Poultry  
Fanciers' Show, September 28,  
1997**

Grand Champion of the Show:  
Partridge Rock pullet

**Rochester Poultry Association  
Show, October 5, 1997**

Reserve Champion Standard:  
Partridge Rock pullet

Curiously, the ad does not  
look strange in the two-column  
format.

#### **January 13, 1998**

I must get busy and write an  
article for the 1998 **APA  
YEARBOOK**. What will it be?

#### **January 14, 1998**

Candled all of the eggs now  
under incubation last night. Things  
are looking good. In the incubators  
are 40 fertile eggs about a week  
into the process: 16 Wyandotte, 4  
Game, 20 Partridge Rock; two  
weeks or more into the cycle are  
20 standard eggs, mostly

Orpington and Partridge Rock.  
Under an American Game bantam  
hen up in the barn are 6 standard  
eggs, two weeks or more into the  
cycle. Also in the barn, a Barred  
Wyandotte bantam hen is setting  
on 10 fertile B. B. Red American  
Game bantam eggs.

Those are the first American  
Game bantam eggs—from my  
very superior birds—and I am  
very pleased that they are all  
fertile. I want to hatch about 25  
bantam B. B. Red American  
Games. As soon as I am finished  
hatching Wyandottes and  
American Games, I will set up two  
more standard Partridge Rock  
breeding pens—making it a total  
of four breeding pens for Partridge  
Rocks.

I have about 8 Partridge  
Rock pullets that are just coming  
to maturity and laying well and I  
want to get chicks from them. I  
believe I will use just the two  
males and rotate them around in  
the four Partridge Rock breeding  
pens. One hundred Partridge Rock  
chicks would not be too many, by  
any means.

My guess is that I now have  
about 80 chicks of various breeds  
and ages.

Historical Society meeting  
tonight at the library.

Decided yesterday that my  
article for this year's **APA**

YEARBOOK would be about power failures and incubator malfunctions; possible title "Don't Panic." Started working on the article yesterday and I already have a good draft of an article. I'll work on it for several weeks and have several people read it and make suggestions and then I'll send it in to the APA. I will take out a full-page ad again this year and announce that I have been named an APA Master Breeder and Grand Master Exhibitor of Standard Partridge Plymouth Rocks.

#### January 19, 1998

About 15 chicks hatching in the incubator; also some under a B. B. Red American Game hen up in the barn. These are standard Partridge Rocks, Black Orpingtons, and Games (Modern and Old English). Some of the Orpingtons appear to be very large chicks—which is good. Let's hope they grow into very large adults.

The splash Orpington that is the mother of virtually all of this year's Orpington chicks has set, which is wonderful. I have given her about a dozen B. B. Red American Game bantam eggs and about six miscellaneous standard eggs. She appears to be an excellent setter. The "Asil/Malay" hen has also, I believe, started to

set. I'll know more tonight. I will give her about the same kinds of eggs that I gave to the splash Orpington that set yesterday.

I'm making very good progress on my article for this year's **APA YEARBOOK**, in which I have had an article every year for the past five or six years (maybe longer).

#### January 20, 1998

About 20 new chicks, mostly from the incubator but three from under a B. B. Red American Game hen. They look good. There are a couple of Black Orpington chicks that appear to be extra large, which is great. The Splash Orpington hen has settled into setting. My impression is that she will be an excellent setter.

#### January 23, 1998

Nasty winter weather. Snow, sleet, freezing rain—later tonight, all rain (hopefully). Donald was supposed to get DWP II for the weekend, but canceled his plans this afternoon because of this weather. That's too bad. I was looking forward to DWP II's visit. His birthday is this coming Wednesday (he'll be 11) and we were going to celebrate his birthday this weekend. Oh well, better safe than sorry.

DWP phoned me earlier in the afternoon to say that the new incubator that I ordered from Murray McMurray, along with some replacement parts for my two existing incubators, arrived this afternoon. Excellent news. I will get things operational this evening, I hope, and then set lots of eggs.

#### **January 27, 1998**

I have done some sorting among the standard Partridge Rock hens and have selected the four best ones I have. They are in a breeding pen with the male from Kreuger's Kluckers (that I acquired—most fortuitously—at last fall's Cobleskill show). This morning, the best old hen laid an egg while I was in the barn. As I was about to leave the barn, I noticed that the White Wyandotte hen had just laid an egg. I decided to get both eggs and put them in the cellar. In a very clumsy move, I dropped the Partridge Rock egg! I could have kicked myself. I already have six or seven of her eggs under incubation so it was not a major catastrophe, but it did bother me. The loss of the egg, yes, but mostly my carelessness.

The good news is that since the hen laid the egg very early in the day, she is at the beginning of a what I hope is "a substantial

rope" of eggs. I'll not drop any more of her eggs, of that you can be sure. If I had put the egg directly into an egg carton, the accident would not have happened.

I'm thinking of taking tomorrow off from ICS. It would be a good day to spend in Carbondale doing errands—at the Historical Society, at the auto repair places. There's a lot that I have to do in town.

Sent DWP II a birthday card yesterday. His birthday is tomorrow—he will be 11. He's coming this weekend. His trip her last weekend was canceled because of a winter storm.

I continue to make revisions to my article for the 1998 APA YEARBOOK. The article keeps getting better and better. It is now titled "Short-Term Incubator Problems."

#### **January 29, 1998**

An excellent hatch is now going on in my incubator at home. Fifteen additional chicks hatched overnight. There are so many chicks in the incubator that I can't effectively count them. There are several, maybe a half dozen, Columbian Wyandottes—or what appear to be Columbian Wyandottes. They have good size. Very possibly my breeding



experiment has worked: White Wyandotte male on my three Columbian pullets; my two Columbian cockerels on a White hen. The White birds I got from Carl Harris—and they are good birds. Who knows, maybe I have created some excellent show Columbian Wyandottes. Time will tell.

I'm not really too sure about the Buff chicks from the cross of a standard Buff Minorca cockerel on the Buff Orpington hen. The chicks (most all of them) have White legs. All of them have good buff color. I'm not sure that they will develop into superior Orpingtons or Minorcas. The few that have yellow legs might pass for Buff Rocks in the county-fair circuit. The hens ought to be good layers and, hopefully, setters.

DWP II arrives tonight for a 3-day visit. That will be fun.

### January 30, 1998

I believe that there are 36 new chicks: about 20 Partridge Rocks, 8 Columbian Wyandottes, 3 or 4 White O. E. Games, 3 or 4 White Wyandottes. A most extraordinary hatch! I am very pleased.

In another incubator are 42 additional "special" eggs—most of which, I believe, are fertile. I did a preliminary candling a day or two

ago. A second—and more definitive candling—will take place this coming weekend. My first candling revealed that four or five of the "extra special" Partridge Rock eggs are fertile! I hope that they are fertile by the Kreuger male. I have decided to use the Kreuger male for all additional PPR hatching eggs. He is excellent in many respects: good red in the hackle, great head, good back.

The standard White Old English Game hen has set—in one of the nest boxes in the large hen area. As soon as I am sure that she is definitely setting, I will give her some choice eggs—maybe B. B. Red American Game bantam eggs.

The APA judges' certification exam has again taken center stage. I now believe that I will study for and take the exam this spring. It's a natural progression in my involvement with exhibition poultry.

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From: srobertpowell  
Full-Name: S. R. Powell  
To: EWMONTELLO@AOL.COM  
Fcc: Sent  
Date: Mon, 29 Dec 1997 08:39:55 -0500  
Subject: Ho! Ho! Ho!  
Message-ID: <19971229.083955.3462.0.srobertpowell@juno.com>  
X-Status: Sent  
X-Mailer: Juno 1.23

The creme de menthe torte arrived safely. Mom was the official opener of the box and not long after it was opened, she suggested we all have a piece of "the fancy cake." We did so. Very nice. Thank you.

We celebrated Christmas on the 28th, when Donald's son arrived. Huge Christmas tree--touched the ceiling. There were nine of us for dinner: sausage and oyster loaf, roast pork, Yorkshire pudding, asparagus, three breads made by Peg (your mother's wonderful nut bread, cranberry bread, brown bread), hermits (made by DWP II and SRP), lovely Darjeeling tea. Mom's linen, china, and crystal; a table cloth that belonged to Aunt Maggie. The holiday was perfect.

Happy New Year to you and Sam.

Robert

From: EWMontello <EWMontello@aol.com>  
Return-path: <EWMontello@aol.com>  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com  
Date: Wed, 31 Dec 1997 12:50:13 EST  
Subject: Re: Ho! Ho! Ho!  
Message-ID: <dc17e697.34aa85d8@aol.com>  
X-Status: Read  
X-Mailer: Inet\_Mail\_Out (IMOV11)

Hello powells! what a nice surprise to have mail waiting. Its been a great Christmas holiday with David home for a few days and , in the last couple of days, lots of snow. Although we missed the biggie the lake effect has given us a total of about 10 inches so far.

It'll be a quiet New Years Eve...just the way the old poops like it. Friends are coming over for some bridge and dinner. Dessert will be the Winter/Russell plum pudding Peg sent.

Glad to hear that the torte arrived safely and that Aunt Helen enjoyed th 'fancy dessert'. Its hard to think of something to send ....

I'm sure Peg told you that we all enjoyed seeing the famous Powells with

Martha Stewart ...When are you bringing you chickens back to Rochester?  
Let  
us know.

Wish everyone a happy New Year for us.

Liz

Happy New Year!  
from Paul's Poetry Corner

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## RECUEILLEMENT

Sois sage, ô ma Douleur, et tiens-toi plus tranquille.  
Tu réclamaïs le Soir; il descend; le voici:  
Une atmosphère obscure enveloppe la ville,  
Aux uns portant la paix, aux autres le souci.

Pendant que de mortels la multitude vile,  
Sous le fouet du Plaisir, ce bourreau sans merci,  
Va cueillir des remords dans la fête servile,  
Ma Douleur, donne-moi la main; viens par ici,

Loin d'eux. Vois se pencher les défuntes Années,  
Sur les balcons du ciel, en robes surannées;  
Surgir du fond des eaux le Regret souriant;

Le Soleil moribond s'endormir sous une arche,  
Et, comme un long linceul trainant à l'Orient,  
Entends, ma chère, entends la douce Nuit qui marche.

--Charles Baudelaire



[Prose translation]

## MEDITATION

(1) Behave yourself [as a mother would say to her child], O my Sorrow, and keep calmer. (2) You called for Evening; it descends; here it is: (3) a dim atmosphere envelopes the city, (4) Bringing peace to some; to others anxiety. (5) While the vile multitude of mortals (6) under the whip of Pleasure, that merciless executioner, (7) go to gather remorse in the servile festival, (8) my Sorrow, give me your hand; come this way, (9) far from them. See the dead years lean (10) on the balconies of the sky, in old-fashioned dresses; (11) [see] Regret, smiling, emerge from the depths of the waters; (12) [see] the dying Sun go to sleep under an arch; (13) and like a long shroud trailing in the East, (14) hear, my darling, hear the soft Night who is walking.

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Luck is **hard work**

cleverly **disguised.**

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In one way or another, these 5885  
seven birds were all  
trouble makers.

M. Robert Powell Date 1-6 1998

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Golden Duckwing OEG

Cross-bred hen;  
RCRIR cock

White Leghorns

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DWP took these to  
Nicholson when he went  
there today with 5  
"un-needed" rabbits.



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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Mike Pavese  
**Subject:** Ginger/photoshoot  
**Date:** Thursday, January 08, 1998 9:47AM

Three cheers for Ginger and her professional behavior during yesterday's inhouse "Professional Secretary" photoshoot. Her organizational skills were in high gear. She made decisions. She kept the whole process in focus. She kept things moving. Had she not been there, the photoshoot would probably still be going on. By her being there, a quality product was produced in a timely fashion.



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925 Oak Street Scranton, Pennsylvania 18515 (717) 342-7701

January 8, 1998

S. Robert Powell  
RD 1 Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

Dear Robert:

Enclosed is a photocopy of the model release form that you signed for the photo shoot held on January 7, 1998, at ICS Learning Systems.

Your portrayals as a notary public was award winning and your full cooperation was a tremendous asset in expediting our photos.

Best regards,

*Virginia P. Sosik*

Virginia P. Sosik  
Permission Editor, Product Development



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I hereby affirm that all statements, comments and other information provided by me to NEC are true and reflect actual events.

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I agree that NEC has no obligation to publish, use, or advise me as to whether or when NEC will publish or use my comments, name, voice, photographs, or still or kinetic likeness of me and/or my property.

Date 01-08-1998 Signed S. Robert Powell  
Address RD1, Box 40 City Carbondale State PA  
Zip Code 18407-9706 Phone Number 717-282-5197

(Signature of parent or guardian if a minor)



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From: rico <ricoseb@oanet.com>  
Return-path: <ricoseb@oanet.com>  
To: "S. R. Powell" <srobertpowell@juno.com>  
Date: Fri, 9 Jan 1998 20:45:48 -0700  
Subject: RE: Powell/Partridge Rocks  
Message-ID: <01BD1D3F.E9A212A0@dialin15.oanet.com>  
X-Status: Read

Hi Mr. Powell,

Your records are correct up to the last show win. I cannot confirm that =  
one (Rochester Show Oct. 5/97) because I have not received that show =  
report yet. Since that is the most recent win for you with Partridge =  
Rocks and it's a 10 point show, you correct in announcing this special =  
accomplishment in the 1998 Yearbook which will hope to get out around =  
May. Also let me congratulate you on becoming an APA Master Breeder of =  
Standad Partridge Plymouth Rocks. This will also get you a certificate =  
which we title "American Poultry Association Grand Master Exhibitor =  
Award of Standard Partridge Plymouth Rocks to S. Robert Powell"

Rico

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From: S. R. Powell[SMTP:srobertpowell@juno.com]  
Sent: January 9, 1998 12:21 PM  
To: ricoseb@oanet.com  
Subject: Powell/Partridge Rocks

January 9, 1998

Dear ricoseb@oanet.com

I am planning to take out a full-page ad in the 1998 APA YEARBOOK to announce that I have been named an APA Master Breeder of Standard Partridge Rocks. According to my calculations, I now have 105 Master Exhibitor points on standard Partridge Rocks.

Here are the show wins on which I am basing this statement:

S. Robert Powell  
Master Breeder of Standard Partridge Rocks

York County Poultry Fanciers' Show, October 27-28, 1990  
Champion American, Partridge Rock cockerel (15 points)

Eastern New York State Poultry Fanciers' Show, September 29, 1991  
Reserve Champion Standard, Partridge Rock hen (5 points)

Rochester Poultry Association Show, October 6, 1991  
Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Rock cockerel (10 points)

Pennsylvania Farm Show, January 8-13, 1994  
Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Rock pullet (15 points)

Twin Tier Poultry Club Show, September 11, 1994  
Champion Standard: Partridge Rock hen (5 points)

Sussex County Poultry Fanciers' Show, April 22-23, 1995

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Champion Standard: Partridge Rock hen (5 points)

New York State Fair, August 24-September 4, 1995

Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Rock hen (15 points)

Dutchess County Poultry Fanciers' Show, June 16, 1996

Champion Standard: Partridge Rock hen (5 points)

New York State Fair, August 21-September 1, 1997

Champion American: Partridge Rock hen (10 points)

Eastern New York Poultry Fanciers' Show, September 28, 1997

Grand Champion of the Show: Partridge Rock pullet (10 points)

Rochester Poultry Association Show, October 5, 1997

Reserve Champion Standard: Partridge Rock pullet (10 points)

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Before I make this announcement, I want to be certain that my calculations are in accordance with the APA's records. I would very much appreciate your help in double-checking these points.

Sincerely,

# CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB

# NEWSLETTER

January 12, 1998

S. Robert Powell, Editor (R. D 1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407-9706. 717-282-5197)

## NEXT CPAC MEETING

The next meeting of the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club will take place at Carl and Betty Harris' place in Montoursville on Sunday, January 18, 1998, beginning at 1 P.M.

If you need directions to the Harris', phone Carl and Betty at 717-433-3719.

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## From David Stiles

Dear CPAC members:

I regret to inform you that I will not be able to continue as the Pigeon Show Secretary. This is because I have been accepted to Penn State University Park campus for Architectural Engineering this coming year. At least for the next couple of years, my studies will be all that I can handle, so there will be no time for the Pigeon Show. It we be greatly appreciated if someone would come forward to take over the duties for the next show.

The experience has been fun, but unfortunately I cannot continue to run the Pigeon Show. I would like to thank all the people who have helped me with the show for the last two years. I may be able to come back to the show in the future.

I will continue to raise pigeons through my father. Although I cannot keep all of the breeds that I have at the present, so I will be selling out some good stock at reasonable prices.

Sincerely,

David Stiles

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## Congratulations

## David Stiles!

That's wonderful news about your plans to study Architectural Engineering at Penn State! Congratulations! We shall all miss your presence at club pigeon shows.

When you complete your architectural studies, I can easily imagine your building the best



designed—and probably the largest—pigeon loft in the state, maybe anywhere.

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## CPAC ELECTION

Here is the slate of officers and directors who have been nominated for 1998:

**President:** Carl Harris (nominated by Emery, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Keeler)

**First Vice President:** Craig Russell (Powell/Harris)

**Second Vice President:** Harold Strawser (Keeler/Russell)

**Secretary/Treasurer:** Mark Burns (Harris/Emery)

**Directors:**

Leon Keeler (Russell/Burns)

Gene Emery (Burns/Powell)

Since only one nomination was made for each position, the Secretary will be instructed, at the January 18, 1998 meeting, to cast one vote in favor of the slate of candidates as nominated, and those candidates will be declared elected. They will assume office at the January 18, 1998 meeting.

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## BREEDERS' DIRECTORY

A Breeders' Directory form was included in the December 9, 1997 issue of the CPAC NEWS-LETTER. About 25 members have

returned the forms to Mark Burns already. Thanks for sending them in. If you haven't filled out your Breeders' Directory form, do so now and mail it to Mark Burns.

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## DUES

At the December 14<sup>th</sup> meeting of the club, it was agreed that the annual membership dues in the CPAC should be raised to \$10 (individual and family memberships) and \$5 (junior memberships). If you object to this proposed dues increase, contact the current secretary/treasurer of the CPAC, Mark Burns, by January 18<sup>th</sup>. Mark's phone number is 717-876-2858. If you don't contact Mark by that date, your silence will be taken as a vote in favor of the proposed dues increase.

If the majority of the membership do not object to this proposed dues increase, the proposed membership fees will go into effect for 1998. Members who have paid their dues for 1998 before the end of 1997 will not, of course, be asked to pay a supplement, should the dues increase be approved by the membership.

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## 1998 ABA YEARBOOK

Mark Burns has volunteered to coordinate the ads for the

club pages that will appear in the 1998 ABA YEARBOOK. As always, the deadline for the ABA YEARBOOK is March 1, 1998. Contact Mark in order to place an individual ad (\$12 for 1/8 of a page) on one of the club pages.

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### 1998 APA YEARBOOK

Robert Powell has volunteered to coordinate the ads for the club pages that will appear in the 1998 APA YEARBOOK. As always, the deadline for the APA YEARBOOK is the end of February. Contact Robert in order to place an individual ad on one of the club pages.

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### DORKING PRINTS

Have you seen the Red Dorking print that is being sold by the Society for the Preservation of Poultry Antiquities? It's beautiful!

The print, of a painting by Dick Getz that was commissioned by the SPPA, is available from Craig Russell (R.R. 4, Box 251, Middleburg, PA 17842. 717-837-3157) for \$66.00.

A limited edition of 1,000 prints has been produced. A full-page ad for the sale of these prints was run in the December 1997 issue (p. 67) of *Poultry Press*. An aggressive marketing campaign for the sale of these prints is currently underway, including an

ad scheduled to appear in an upcoming issue of a major national magazine.

If you're interested in getting a print (and I think you will be once you see how beautiful they are), contact Craig right away. This limited edition will surely sell out.

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### FOOD STAND

Phil Malencore has volunteered to take charge of the food stand at the spring auction and show. Phil has a gas grill that he can bring to the show to cook burgers and sausage on.

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### AUCTION FORMAT

What format shall we use for the spring 1998 auction? Some have said that we should go back to the old format, i.e., put all of the birds that are to be sold into show cages in the poultry building and carry the cages up to an auction area.

At the December 14, 1998 meeting of the club, it was agreed that if we are to return to the old format for the auction that (1) consignors who are physically capable of carrying cages into and out of the auction area must help carry the cages containing their own birds, and (2) we must have, at least a week before the auction, a list of no less than 12 people

who will help carry the cages throughout the auction and help clean the building following the auction. Otherwise, the old auction format will not be followed.

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### GOOD IDEA

At the December 14, 1997 meeting of the club in the poultry building on the Bloomsburg Fairgrounds, Harold Strawser suggested that we have a regular club meeting following the auction in both the spring and the fall. The members present (Malencore, Burns, Whitebread, Strawser, Russell, Powell) all agreed that that sounded like a good idea. Accordingly, a meeting of the club will take place this spring immediately after the auction. This meeting will take the place of the regularly scheduled meeting for May.

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### GORDON WALTER

Best wishes to Gordon Walter who was hospitalized in mid-December 1997 for repair of the blood vessels around his heart.

"I'll see you in the Spring," said Gordon at the conclusion of a phone conversation on 12-11-1997. As most club members know, Gordon raises a wide variety of standard Cochins, as well as other breeds. Gordon is also a highly talented gardener,

specializing in iris. If my memory serves me correctly, he has over 1,000 different colors of iris.

Every year at the Harford Fair (Susquehanna County), Gordon supplies beautiful bouquets of cut flowers for the entrance to the Cecil E. Rose Memorial Poultry Building.

Gordon's phone number is 607-748-7893.

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### AVIAN INFLUENZA

By S. Robert Powell

Here are some "facts" that I have collected recently; also a few personal observations:

- Poultry Show exposition hall on main floor of Farm Show Complex transformed (a few years ago) into Food Court; exhibition poultry relegated to small room on lower level of Farm Show Complex; ridiculous new show rules imposed on poultry exhibitors.
- Poultry Show at **1998 Pennsylvania Farm Show** canceled in October 1997. Secretary of Agriculture Hayes: "This is strictly a precautionary [measure] to prevent the possible transmission of the H7N2 avian influenza virus through exhibits at the show."



- The general poultry quarantine that was instituted in May in much of southeastern Pennsylvania was lifted in Lancaster county (perhaps also in the remainder of the areas under quarantine) on November 10, 1997—which means, of course, that the poultry show at the **1998 Pennsylvania Farm Show** could have taken place.
- From a page-one story in the December 20, 1997 issue of *Lancaster Farming*, we have learned that a *non-pathogenic strain* of H7N2 avian influenza was detected in a 24,800-turkey flock (13,000, 10 weeks old; 11,800, 10 days old) in northern Lancaster county. The birds were disposed of, a farm-specific quarantine was imposed, and the flock owner was compensated for his losses.
- On National Public Radio at 8 A. M. on December 29, 1997, I heard a news story about H5N1 avian influenza in Hong Kong. Every chicken in Hong Kong was quickly slaughtered to prevent a spread of the influenza which, it was reported, had caused 4 human deaths; 12 other humans are said to have been infected by the "bird flu."
- Also on NPR, I heard (01-03-98) that all ducks and geese in

Hong Kong would now be killed.

- According to Pennsylvania Secretary of Agriculture Samuel Hayes, Jr., H7N2 avian influenza does not pose any threat to human health.
- Non-pathogenic H7N2 avian influenza (which causes illness and some mortality in birds) can turn into a pathogenic strain (which causes total mortality). Pennsylvania has 4 million doses of avian influenza vaccine on hand, but according to a USDA protocol, the vaccine can only be administered if the virus becomes pathogenic.

All of this avian influenza hoopla—as well as what appears to be an anti-exhibition poultry trend in Pennsylvania—makes me very nervous. Even though we, the exhibition poultry people, and our birds are **not** the cause of the avian influenza problems in Pennsylvania, I can easily envision the day when some government functionary—at the urging of the commercial poultry industry and "in the interest of public health and safety" announces that all backyard and hobbyist flocks in Pennsylvania will have to be disposed of.

Why are the 4 million doses (a two-year supply) of avian influenza vaccine not being used? The vaccine is there. Why not allow us to vaccinate our birds (even though our birds are not at fault)? If our birds are vaccinated against avian influenza, our birds would be protected (hopefully) if the day ever comes when a government-sanctioned witch hunt/inquisition takes place.

Why are the commercial poultry people not using the vaccine? I wonder if the fact that the carcasses of birds in "spent" layer flocks (and probably in all other commercial flocks as well) will not be purchased by foreign buyers if the birds have been vaccinated has anything to do with it?

In October 1997, Secretary Hayes stated: "The commercial poultry industry is extremely vital to Pennsylvania's agricultural economy. I am going to do what I can to protect our poultry farmers."

What about us, the exhibition poultry people? Where would the commercial poultry farmers be today if exhibition poultry people had not preserved the breeds of poultry that were used to create the present-day commercial chickens?

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## SPRING SHOW DATES

The CPAC's Spring Auction and Show are held on the first weekend in May. That means May 2 (auction) and 3 (show), 1998.

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### IN MEMORIAM DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB

Under the direction of Leon Keeler, the following list of deceased members of the CPAC (5 or more years in the club) has been compiled:

Ackley, Charles  
Bortner, Burnell ("Bruno")  
Charney, Mickey  
Corson, Victor  
Crittenden, Tom  
Cromley, Luther ("Duke")  
Dotterer, Bill  
Exley, Albert  
Eyster, Marlin L.  
Fike, Fred  
Franklin, Walter  
Hall, Charles, Jr.  
Heim, Jim  
Huylsizer, Floyd  
Kline, Raymond  
Kosinski, Charles  
Laubach, Zane  
Leech, Ed  
Lord, Carl  
Loxley, Honil  
Menges, Cyril  
Maynard, Nellie  
Rose, Cecil E.  
Ritter, Ernest  
Sabol, George  
Smith Clifton  
Smith, Larry  
Thompson, Tom  
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## **Robert Powell**

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**From:** Paul Warner  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Cc:** Scott Shemo  
**Subject:** RE: Gaudeamus igitur  
**Date:** Monday, January 12, 1998 10:03AM

Be always drunken. Nothing else matters: that is the only question. If you would not feel the horrible burden of Time weighing on your shoulders and crushing you to the earth, be drunken continually.

Drunken with what? With wine, with poetry, or with virtue, as you will. But be drunken.

And if sometimes, on the stairs of a palace, or the green side of a ditch, or in the dreary solitude of your own room, you should awaken and the drunkenness be half or wholly slipped away from you, ask of the wind, or of the star, or of the bird, or of the clock, of whatever flies, or sighs, or rocks, or sings, or speaks, ask what hour it is; and the wind, wave, star, bird, clock, will answer you: "It is the hour to be drunken! Be drunken, if you would not be martyred slaves of Time; be drunken continually! With wine, with poetry, or with virtue, as you will."

from Charles Baudelaire's "Be Always Drunken," as recited in Eugene O'Neill's "Long Day's Journey Into Night"

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Paul Warner  
**Cc:** Scott Shemo  
**Subject:** Minor Miracle  
**Date:** Monday, January 12, 1998 9:17AM

You'll be pleased to know that the "computer wizard" in the next cubicle has, with only a minor loss of blood and apparently without significant mental damage, successfully installed the canonical departmental editing/markup macros on his computer. Where there's life, there's hope.

Gaudeamus igitur!

## **Robert Powell**

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**From:** Scott Shemo  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: Minor Miracle  
**Date:** Monday, January 12, 1998 9:33AM

You'll never believe this--the Dean just informed me the whole macro thing isn't working out and we're not going to use them anymore. Oh well.

(Just kidding.)

Bravo!

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**Robert Powell**

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**From:** Scott Shemo  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** RE: that?  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 14, 1998 10:38AM

Many thanks.

THAT'S all, folks.

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**From:** Robert Powell  
**To:** Scott Shemo  
**Subject:** RE: that?  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 14, 1998 10:21AM

As a defender of truth, justice, the American way, and RELATIVE PRONOUNS, I would retain the "that" in your example. I always use relative pronouns, and will continue to do so until told not to--even then I would probably sneak them into sentences.

Long live relative pronouns! Down with contractions!

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**From:** Scott Shemo  
**To:** Robert Powell  
**Subject:** that?  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 14, 1998 9:36AM

Professor:

A grammar query.

If memory serves, I recall Josephine informing me, prior to her recent departure, of the extraneousness of the word 'that' in most sentences. Example:

"In this section of the manual, you'll continue to learn about specific software programs that are popular in today's market."

"software programs popular in today's market" is less cluttered, and therefore, preferred (?)

Please tell me if I recall Ms. Saccone's words correctly, or if the radiation from my monitor screen has left me loopy.

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Internal Revenue Service  
District Director

Department of the Treasury

Date: JUL 2 1984

Employer Identification Number:

23-2273752

Accounting Period Ending:

December 31

Form 990 Required: ☒ Yes ☐ No

▷ Carbondale Historical Society  
And Museum, Inc.  
Post Office Box 151  
Carbondale, Pa. 18407

Person to Contact:

K. Smith

Contact Telephone Number:

(215) 597-4168

Dear Applicant:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

We have further determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code, because you are an organization described in section 509(a)(1) & 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name or address.

Generally, you are not liable for social security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. If you have paid FICA taxes without filing the waiver, you should contact us. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Since you are not a private foundation, you are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

The box checked in the heading of this letter shows whether you must file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income tax. If Yes is checked, you are required to file Form 990 only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$10,000\* If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

P. O. Box 260, Newark, NJ 07101

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You are not required to file Federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

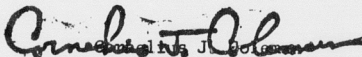
You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees.

If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

  
District Director

For tax years ending on and after December 31, 1982, organizations whose gross receipts are not normally more than \$25,000 are excused from filing Form 990. For guidance in determining if your gross receipts are normally not more than the \$25,000 limit, see the instructions for the Form 990.

Beginning January 1, 1984, unless specifically excpeted, you must pay taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act(social security taxes) for each employee who is paid \$100 or more in a calendar year.